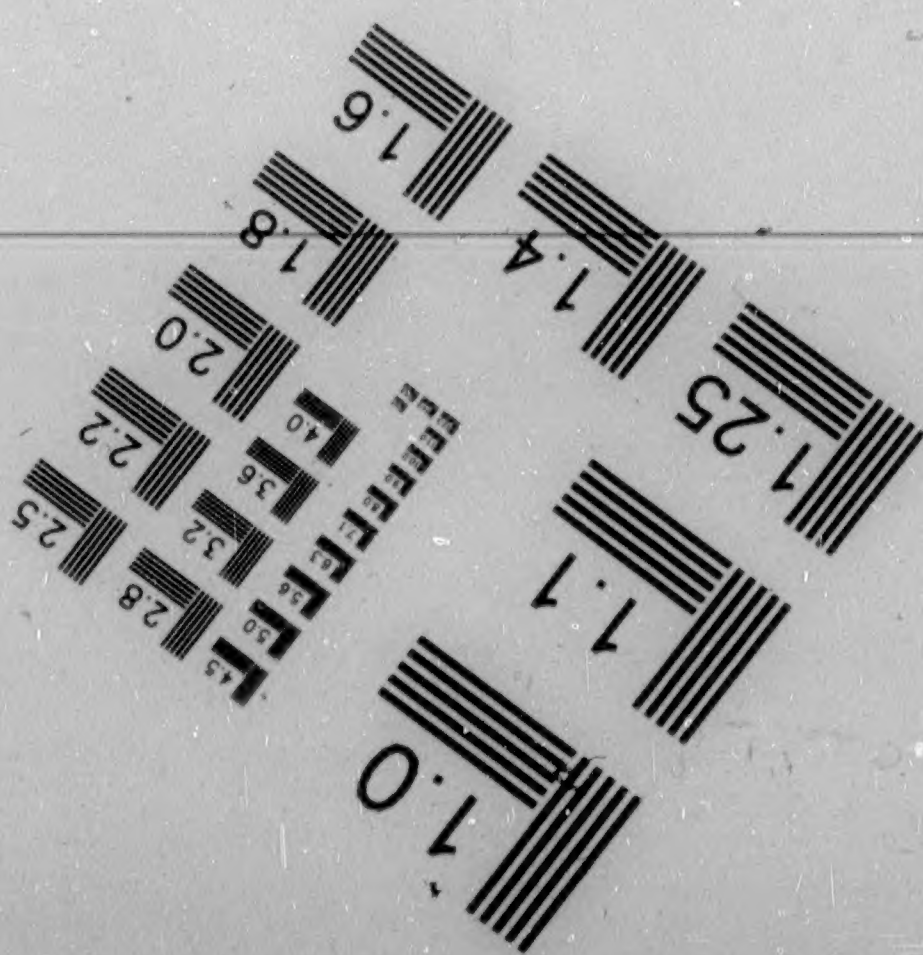
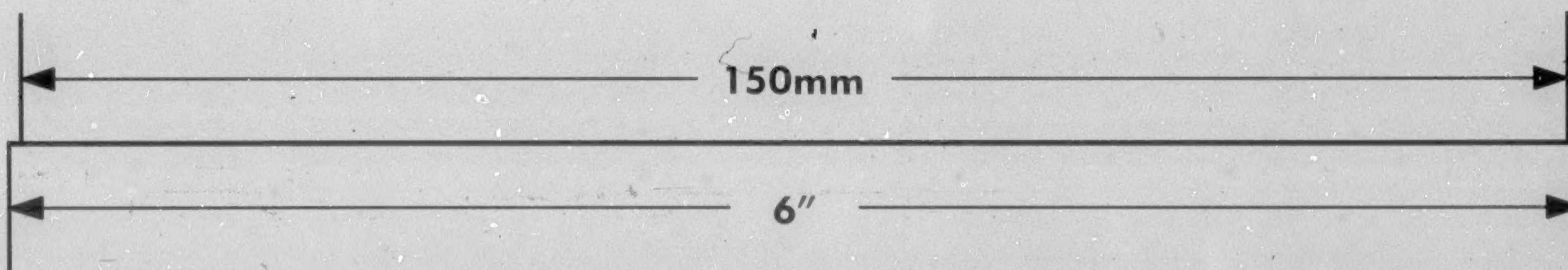
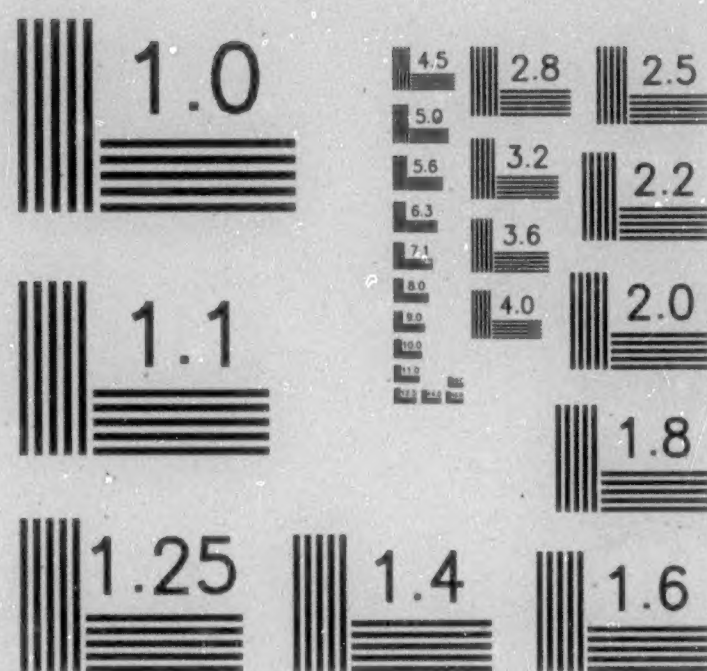
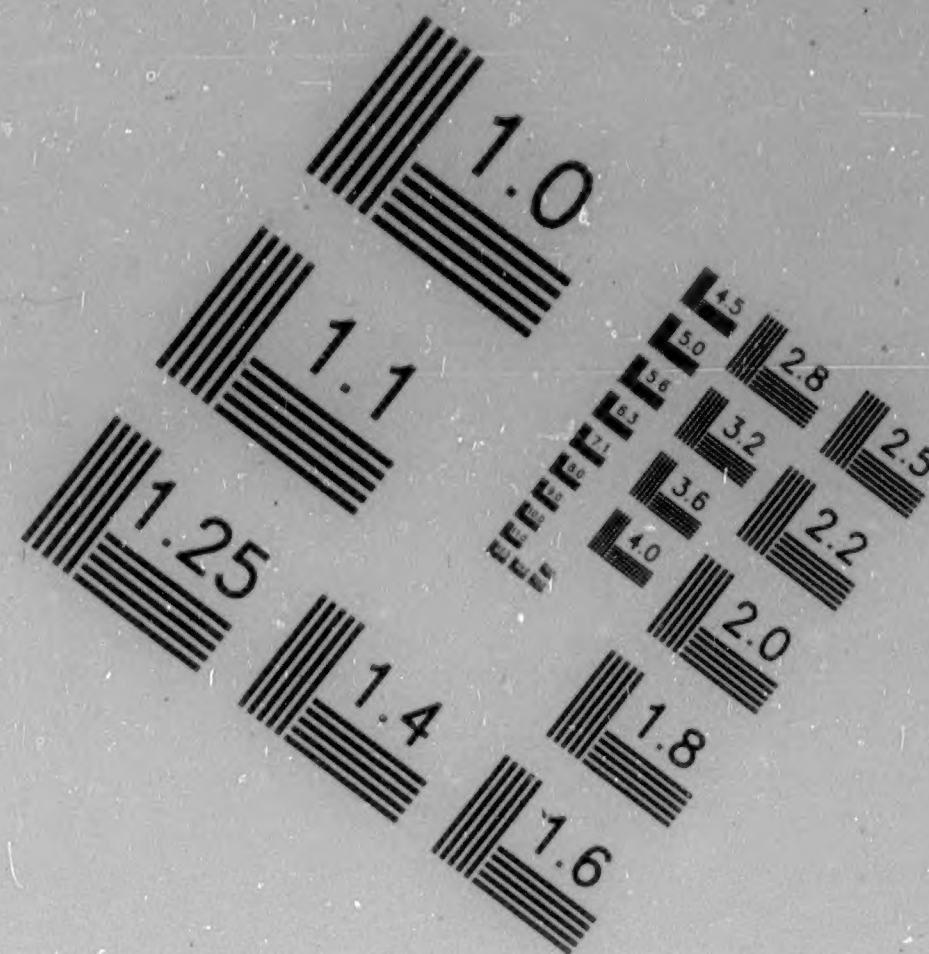
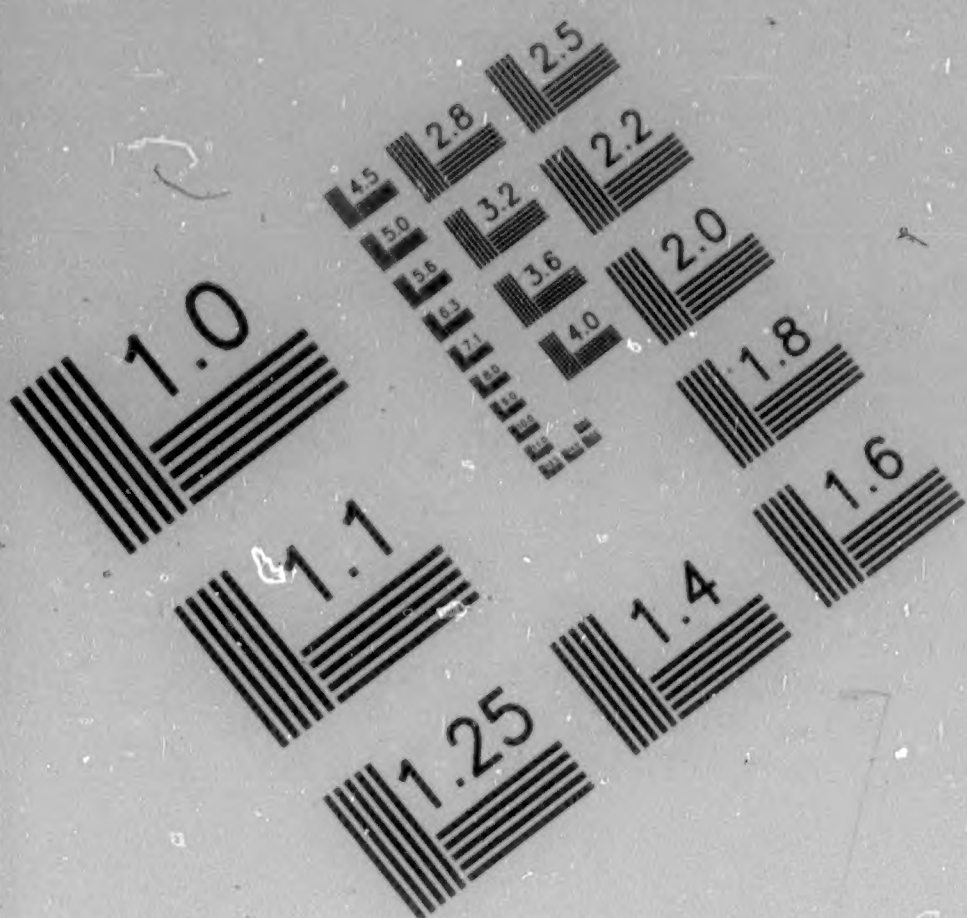




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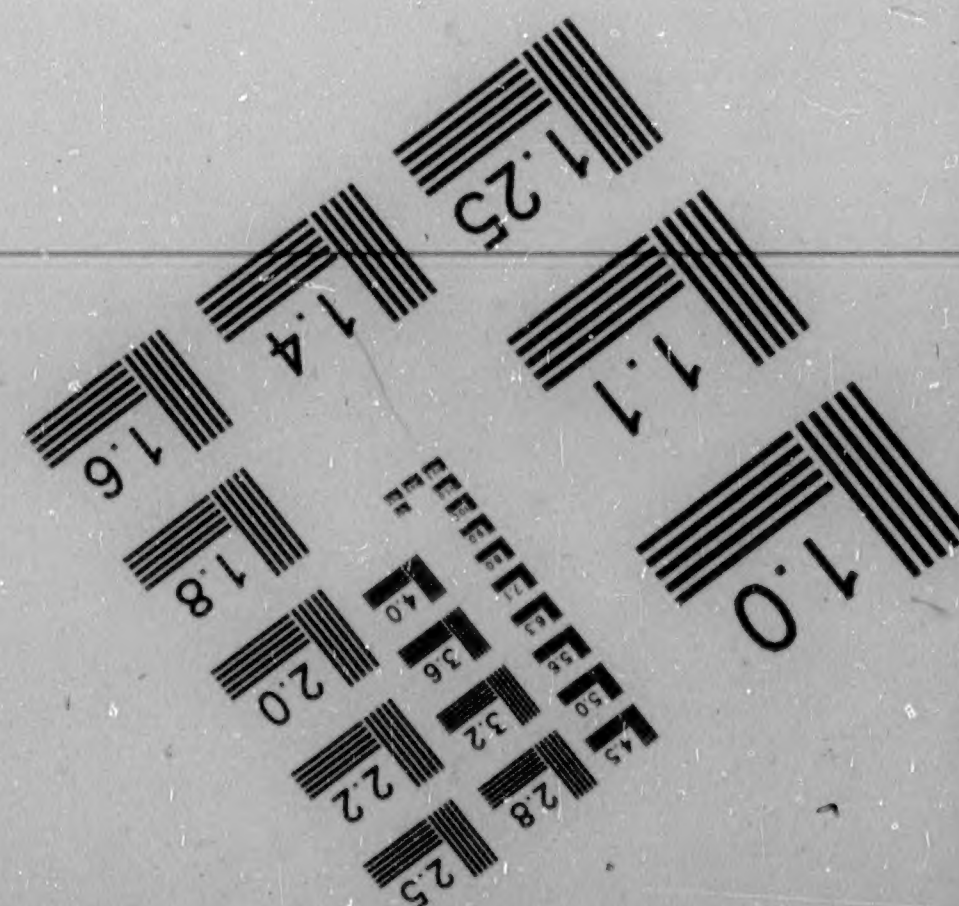
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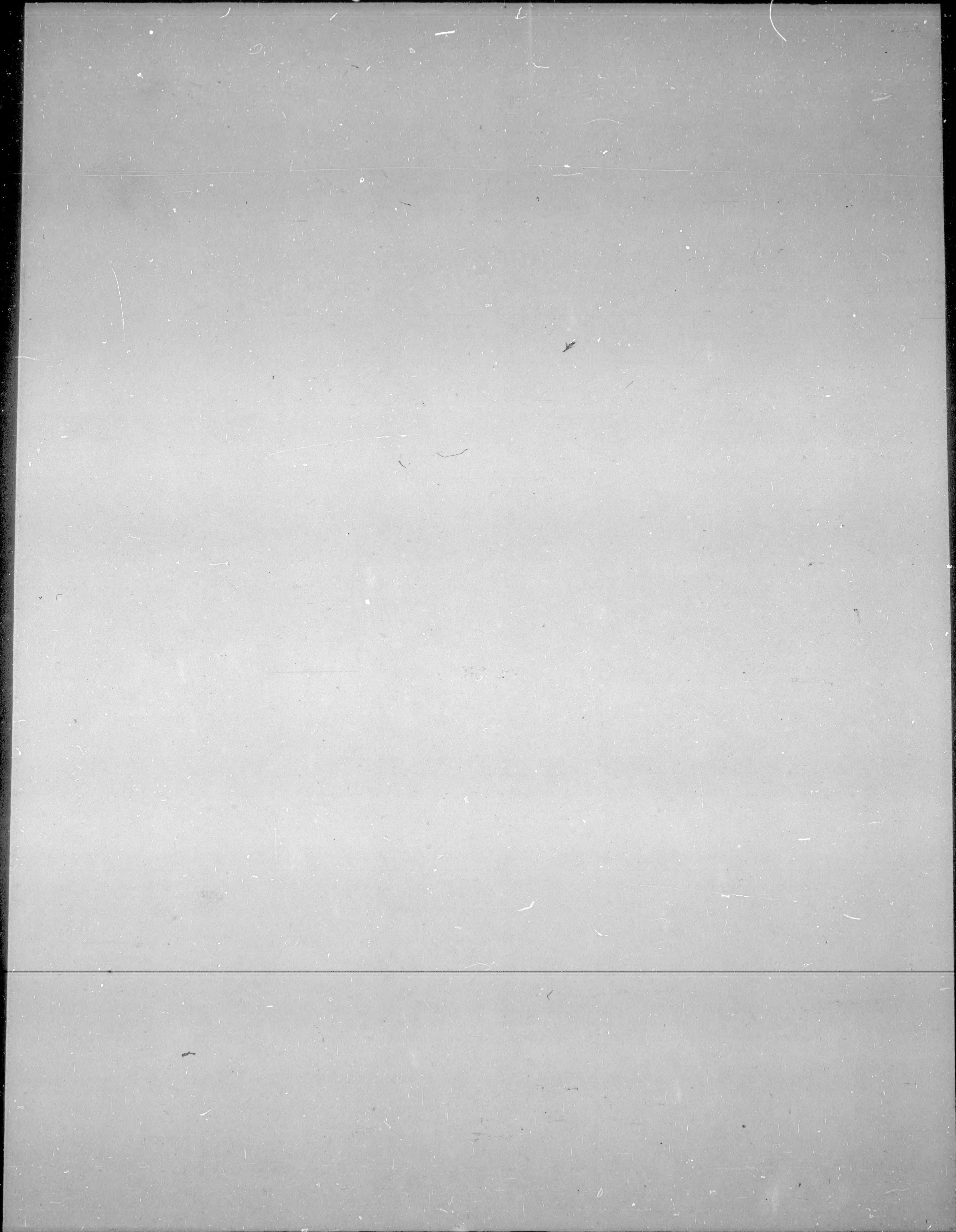
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INTRODUCTION

On the 133 rolls of this microfilm publication, M1904, are reproduced the records of the Kentucky headquarters for the Assistant Commissioner and his staff officers and the subordinate field offices of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872. These records consist of bound volumes and unbound records, containing materials that include letters sent and received, monthly reports, registers of complaints, labor contracts, and other records relating to freedmen's claims and bounty payments. These records are part of the Records of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, Record Group (RG) 105.

HISTORY AND ORGANIZATION

The Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, also known as the Freedmen's Bureau, was established in the War Department by an act of Congress on March 3, 1865 (13 Stat. 507). The life of the Bureau was extended twice by acts of July 16, 1866 (14 Stat. 173), and July 6, 1868 (15 Stat. 83). The Bureau was responsible for the supervision and management of all matters relating to refugees and freedmen, and of lands abandoned or seized during the Civil War. In May 1865, President Andrew Johnson appointed Maj. Gen. Oliver Otis Howard as Commissioner of the Bureau, and Howard served in that position until June 30, 1872, when activities of the Bureau were terminated in accordance with an act of June 10, 1872 (17 Stat. 366). While a major part of the Bureau's early activities involved the supervision of abandoned and confiscated property, its mission was to provide relief and help freedmen become self-sufficient. Bureau officials issued rations and clothing, operated hospitals and refugee camps, and supervised labor contracts. In addition, the Bureau managed apprenticeship disputes and complaints, assisted benevolent societies in the establishment of schools, helped freedmen in legalizing marriages entered into during slavery, and provided transportation to refugees and freedmen who were attempting to reunite with their family or relocate to other parts of the country. The Bureau also helped black soldiers, sailors, and their heirs collect bounty claims, pensions, and back pay.

The act of March 3, 1865, authorized the appointment of Assistant Commissioners to aid the Commissioner in supervising the work of the Bureau in the former Confederate states, the border states, and the District of Columbia. While the work performed by Assistant Commissioners in each state was similar, the organizational structure of staff officers varied from state to state. At various times, the staff could consist of a superintendent of education, an assistant adjutant general, an assistant inspector general, a disbursing officer, a chief medical officer, a chief quartermaster, and a commissary of subsistence. Subordinate to these officers were the assistant superintendents, or subassistant commissioners as they later became known, who commanded the subdistricts.

The Assistant Commissioner corresponded extensively with both his superior in the

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Washington Bureau headquarters and his subordinate officers in the subdistricts. Based upon reports submitted to him by the subassistant commissioners and other subordinate staff officers, he prepared reports that he sent to the Commissioner concerning Bureau activities in areas under his jurisdiction. The Assistant Commissioner also received letters from freedmen, local white citizens, state officials, and other non-Bureau personnel. These letters varied in nature from complaints to applications for jobs in the Bureau. Because the assistant adjutant general handled much of the mail for the Assistant Commissioner's office, it was often addressed to him instead of to the Assistant Commissioner.

In a circular issued by Commissioner Howard in July 1865, the Assistant Commissioners were instructed to designate one officer in each state to serve as "general Superintendents of Schools." These officials were to "take cognizance of all that is being done to educate refugees and freedmen, secure proper protection to schools and teachers, promote method and efficiency, correspond with the benevolent agencies which are supplying his field, and aid the Assistant Commissioner in making his required reports." In October 1865, a degree of centralized control was established over Bureau educational activities in the states when Rev. John W. Alvord was appointed Inspector of Finances and Schools. In January 1867, Alvord was divested of his financial responsibilities, and he was appointed General Superintendent of Education.

An act of Congress, approved July 25, 1868 (15 Stat. 193), ordered that the Commissioner of the Bureau "shall, on the first day of January next, cause the said bureau to be withdrawn from the several States within which said bureau has acted and its operation shall be discontinued." Consequently, in early 1869, with the exception of the superintendents of education and the claims agents, the Assistant Commissioners and their subordinate officers were withdrawn from the states.

For the next year and a half the Bureau continued to pursue its education work and to process claims. In the summer of 1870, the superintendents of education were withdrawn from the states, and the headquarters staff was greatly reduced. From that time until the Bureau was abolished by an act of Congress approved June 10, 1872 (17 Stat. 366), effective June 30, 1872, the Bureau's functions related almost exclusively to the disposition of claims. The Bureau's records and remaining functions were then transferred to the Freedmen's Branch in the office of the Adjutant General. The records of this branch are among the Bureau's files.

THE FREEDMEN'S BUREAU IN KENTUCKY

ORGANIZATION

From July 1865 until June 1866, Maj. Gen. C. B. Fisk served as Assistant Commissioner for both Kentucky and Tennessee. Fisk appointed Bvt. Brig. Gen. John Ely to serve as chief superintendent for the Bureau at Kentucky (from March to June 1866). Ely established his headquarters at Louisville, Kentucky, and divided

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his operations into five subdistricts: Lexington, Louisville, Northwestern, Southern, and Central. Records relating to Kentucky created prior to Ely's tenure may be included among the files of the Assistant Commissioner for Tennessee.

In June 1866, Maj. Gen. Jeff C. Davis was appointed as the first Assistant Commissioner for Kentucky. Superintendents (or subassistant commissioners) employed under Davis were generally responsible for from 3 to 11 counties, and agents (civilian and military) from 1 to 3 counties. Agents received their orders directly from superintendents, and all superintendents were required to submit monthly reports of their activities to the Assistant Commissioner. Brig. Gen. Sidney Burbank succeeded Davis in March 1867 and was replaced by Maj. Benjamin Runkle, who served from January 1869 to May 1869 as Assistant Commissioner and superintendent of education. In August 1870, when superintendents of education were withdrawn from the states, Runkle served as claims agent for Kentucky until July 1871. H. H. Ray succeeded Runkle as claims agent, and served in this capacity until December 1871. P. J. Overley became the claims agent in January 1872 and remained in this position until the Bureau's operations in Kentucky were discontinued in April. The major subordinate field offices for the Bureau at Kentucky included those with headquarters at Bowling Green, Lebanon, Lexington, Louisville, and Paducah. For a list of known Kentucky subordinate field office personnel and their dates of service, see the Appendix.

ACTIVITIES

While the Freedmen's Bureau did not begin full operations in Kentucky until June 1866, its activities in the state generally resembled those conducted in other Southern states. The Bureau supervised labor contracts between planters and freedmen, administered justice, assisted freedmen in the establishment of schools, helped freedmen legalize marriages, and worked with black soldiers and their heirs in processing claims relating to military service.

The regulation of written labor agreements between planters and freedmen was a major concern of the Freedmen's Bureau. In a circular issued on July 24, 1865 (Circular Number 2), Assistant Commissioner Fisk told his subordinates that for both Kentucky and Tennessee freedmen must be free to choose their own employers and that wages were to be based on supply and demand rather than a fixed rate. Bureau officials were to negotiate and approve labor contracts and enforce violations by either party. Compulsory unpaid labor was strictly prohibited. In some areas of Kentucky, planters refused to enter into written agreements with freedmen, and freedmen themselves were reluctant to enter into annual agreements for fear of being reduced to slavery. However, with strong reservations, Bureau officers negotiated monthly agreements for them but encouraged freedmen to sign annual contracts that offered yearlong employment. Wages for monthly contracts ranged from \$8 to \$10 a month for adult male field hands, well below the state's average wage of \$15 a month for men. However by the summer of 1866, with the Bureau's insistence, adult laborers in the tobacco region of the state received \$25 per month and laborers in the farm belt areas earned \$12 per month. In some Kentucky counties, freedmen

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received a third of the crops rather than wages. However, because of the shortage of laborers in the state, freedmen were able to demand higher wages, and thus over time the sharecropping system became less attractive.¹

The Bureau worked to protect the rights and legal status of freedmen, which, despite the ending of slavery by the 13th Amendment, were still endangered by the persistence of the old slave codes. On May 30, 1865, Commissioner Howard issued Circular Number 5, authorizing Assistant Commissioners to establish courts in states where the old codes existed and the right of blacks to testify against whites was prohibited. Gen. Fisk subsequently announced to the citizens of Kentucky that freedmen courts would operate in the state as long as freedmen weren't given the same rights as whites. By 1867, as a result of several Federal court rulings, Bureau courts ceased to operate in Kentucky. When state courts denied black testimony, the agency, under provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1866, took cases involving freedmen to the U.S. District Court of Kentucky. In instances where freedmen lacked resources to pursue their cases in Federal court, the Bureau provided transportation for witnesses and other forms of assistance. Despite the Bureau's efforts to safeguard rights and secure justice for freedmen in Kentucky, admitting the testimony of blacks against whites still remained an issue in 1869 when Bureau Assistant Commissioners and their subordinates were withdrawn from the states. However, in January 1872, with a change in public opinion and pressure from the courts, the Kentucky State Legislature amended state law and allowed blacks to testify.

When Gen. John Ely began his duties as chief superintendent for Kentucky under Gen. Fisk's supervision, there were 30 freedmen schools and more than 2,000 students. The schools were organized and maintained by black churches, with black clergy as instructors. Freedmen schools faced widespread violence and white opposition, and in many cases, teachers and students were forced to abandon efforts to maintain school buildings. Ely and his subordinate assisted freedmen in reopening schools that had been forced to close.² Under Maj. Gen. Jeff C. Davis, who replaced Ely in the summer of 1866, the number of freedmen schools increased to 54, with some 67 teachers and more than 3,200 students. Excluding the schools established at Lexington and Covington under the auspices of the Cincinnati Branch of the Western Freedmen's Aid Society and the Cincinnati Branch of the American Missionary Association, the freedmen schools were taught by black teachers who were supported by subscriptions from parents and black religious institutions. The Bureau, however, rented the building for the school at Lexington. Under Brig. Gen. Sidney Burbank, who succeeded Davis in March 1867, the number of freedmen schools increased to 96, accommodating about 5,000 students aged 6-18. By

¹ House Ex. Doc. 70, 39th Cong., 1st Sess., Serial vol. 1256, p. 48. See also Victor B. Howard, *Black Liberation in Kentucky: Emancipation and Freedom, 1862-1884* (Kentucky: The University Press of Kentucky, 1983), pp. 96-97.

² See report of Maj. J. C. Davis, August 23, 1866, "Synopsis of Letters and Reports Relating to Conditions of Freedmen and Bureau Activities in the States, January 1866-March 1869," vol. 135, Records of the Commissioner, Record Group 105, NARA, pp. 294-395.

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September 1868, in spite of continued violence and opposition, the Bureau had provided support for 135 day schools and 1 night school, serving more than 6,000 students.³

On February 14, 1866, the Kentucky State Legislature passed an act legalizing marriages freedmen had entered into during slavery and authorizing black ministers to solemnize such marriages. Nearly 2 weeks later, on February 26, 1866, Assistant Commissioner Fisk issued Circular Number 5, in accordance with the Kentucky law, directing those freedmen who sought to solemnize a marriage to the county clerk for a marriage license. If the county clerk refused to issue a license, Bureau officials in the subdistricts were authorized to solemnize marriages and issue marriage certificates. Local Bureau officers were required to maintain a register of freedmen marriages and forward a report of such marriages to the Assistant Commissioner at the end of each month. Subordinate Bureau officers were also told to notify persons living as man and wife who had not legalized their marriage, to report to the Bureau to take the necessary steps to do so. Persons who failed to comply were guilty of a misdemeanor and were to be punished by a fine and imprisonment.⁴ This microfilm publication reproduces marriage licenses, certificates, and registers of marriages for the Kentucky subdistricts at Augusta, Bowling Green, Columbus, Cynthiana, Owensboro, Paducah, Mt. Sterling, and Winchester. A single freedmen marriage license and a marriage certificate from Kentucky, filed in the Bureau's headquarters records, has been reproduced on roll 1 of National Archives Microfilm Publication M1875, *Marriage Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Washington Headquarters of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1861-1869*.

In addition to assisting freedmen in solemnizing slave marriages and efforts to sustain the black family, the Bureau helped discharged soldiers, sailors, marines, and their heirs in claims for back pay, bounty payments, and pensions. In accordance with a law passed by Congress on March 29, 1867 (15 Stat. 26), making the Bureau the sole agent for payment of claims relating to black veterans, Bureau disbursing officers assisted freedmen in the preparation and settlement of military claims. In November 1866, in spite of the difficulties in locating veterans who fled the state for fear of violence, Assistant Commissioner Davis reported that he had forwarded more than 260 black soldiers' claims for back pay and bounty payments to Commissioner Howard's office in Washington, DC. In the following year, Assistant Commissioner Burbank reported that his office had assisted nearly 500 veterans with military claims, and in the fall of 1868, for the year ending October 10, 1868, that more than 1,100 received bounty payments through his office.⁵

³ Ross A. Webb, "The Past Is Never Dead, It's Not Even Past: Benjamin P. Runkle and the Freedmen's Bureau in Kentucky, 1866-1870," *The Register of Kentucky Historical Society* vol. 84, no. 4 (Autumn 1986), pp. 348-350.

⁴ See Victor B. Howard, *Black Liberation in Kentucky*, pp. 121-125.

⁵ Senate Ex. Doc. No. 6, 39th Cong., 2nd Sess., Serial vol. 1276, p. 67; See also Annual Reports of the Assistant Commissioners, Kentucky, 1867 and 1868, Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Record Group 105, NARA.

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RECORDS DESCRIPTION

These records consist of volumes and unbound records. The volumes reproduced in this microfilm publication were originally arranged by type of record and thereunder by volume number. No numbers were assigned to series consisting of single volumes. Years later, all volumes were arbitrarily assigned numbers by the Adjutant General's Office (AGO) of the War Department after the records came into its custody. In this microfilm publication, AGO numbers are shown in parentheses to aid in identifying the volumes. The National Archives assigned the volume numbers that are not in parentheses. In some volumes, particularly in indexes and alphabetical headings of registers, there are blank numbered pages that have not been filmed.

The volumes consist of letters and endorsements sent and received, press copies of letters sent, registers of letters received, letters and orders received, registers of freedmen court cases, special orders and circulars issued, registers of claimants, registers of complaints, marriage certificates, and monthly reports forwarded to the Assistant Commissioner. The unbound documents consist of letters and orders received, unregistered letters and narrative reports received, special orders and circulars issued, and general orders and circulars received. The unbound records also contain monthly reports; labor contracts; marriage certificates, and records relating to claims.

Some of the volumes contain more than one type of record, reflecting a common recording practice of clerks and staff officers of that period. On roll 93, for example, the volume of contracts for the Columbus field office also contains a register of marriages. Some other examples of additional series within volumes can be found in records on rolls 106, 123, and 133. Researchers should read carefully the records descriptions and arrangements in the Table of Contents to make full use of these documents.

RELATED RECORDS

In the same record group, RG 105, and related to records of the Bureau's field offices for Kentucky, are those of the Bureau headquarters in Washington, DC, and previously microfilmed records of the Assistant Commissioner and the superintendent of education for Tennessee. These record series are available in the following National Archives microfilm publications:

M742, *Selected Series of Records Issued by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872*

M752, *Registers and Letters Received by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1872*

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M803, *Records of the Education Division of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1870*

M999, *Records of the Assistant Commissioner for the State of Tennessee, Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1869*

M1000, *Records of the Superintendent of Education for the State of Tennessee, Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1865-1871*

M1875, *Marriage Records of the Office of the Commissioner, Washington Headquarters of the Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands, 1861-1869*

Records in other National Archives record groups supplement those of the Assistant Commissioner. In Records of United States Army Continental Commands, 1821-1920, RG 393, are records of the military district that included Kentucky. Records relating to employment and welfare of freedmen and abandoned property before the establishment of the Bureau are among Records of Civil War Special Agencies of the Treasury Department, RG 366. The records of the Freedman's Savings and Trust Company, 1865-1874, in Records of the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, RG 101, contain information relating to former slaves who maintained accounts with bank branches in Kentucky.

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APPENDIX

This list provides the names and dates of service of chief medical officers and known Freedmen's Bureau personnel at selected subordinate field offices in Kentucky. Additional information regarding persons assigned to various field offices might be found among the Bureau's Washington headquarters station books and rosters of military officers and civilians on duty in the states and other appointment-related records.

LOCATION	DATES
LOUISVILLE	
Chief Medical Officer	
F. S. Town	July 1866-Mar. 1867
W. R. De Witt, Jr.	Mar.-Nov. 1867
R. A. Bell	Nov. 1867-June 1869
BOWLING GREEN	
Chief Subassistant Commissioner	
Charles F. Johnson	July 1866-July 1867
Joseph C. Rodriguez	July-Dec. 1867
Louis A. Reynolds	Jan.-Feb. 1868
A. Benson Brown	Feb.-June 1868
BOWLING GREEN	
Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner	
R. W. Thing (Superintendent)	Jan.-Mar. 1866
Joseph C. Rodriguez (Subassistant Comm.)	Sept. 1866-July 1867
James A. Shepley (Subassistant Commissioner)	July-Dec. 1867
BRANDENBURG	
Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner	
York A. Woodward (Superintendent)	Sept. 1866-June 1867
James A. Bolton (Subassistant Commissioner)	May-June 1868
BURKSVILLE	
Subassistant Commissioner	
George W. Kingsbury	Oct. 1866-July 1868
COLUMBUS	
Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner	
Lt. James F. Bolton (Superintendent, Paducah)	Mar.-Apr. 1866
Lt. James F. Bolton (Superintendent)	Apr. 1866-Mar. 1868
Lt. James F. Bolton (Subassistant)	Mar.-Apr. 1868
Capt. Emerson H. Liscum (Subassistant)	Apr.-July 1868

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COVINGTON

Superintendent

John L. Graham

Jan. 1866–July 1868

DANVILLE

Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner

William Goodloe (Superintendent)

Jan.–May 1866

W. R. Roume (Superintendent)

June 1866–Apr. 1867

W. R. Roume (Subassistant)

Apr.–Aug. 1867

A. Benson Brown (Subassistant)

Aug.–Dec. 1867

Martin Norton (Subassistant)

Dec. 1867–Apr. 1868

H. G. Thomas (Chief Subassistant)

Feb.–June 1868

GREENSBURG

Superintendent and Chief Agent

George Duff (Superintendent)

Oct. 1866–Nov. 1866

P. S. Reeves (Chief Agent)

Mar. 1867–Feb. 1868

HENDERSON

Chief Subassistant Commissioner

James McCleery

Feb.–May 1868

V. H. Echorn

May 1868

A. Benson Brown

June–July 1868

HENDERSON

Superintendent and Subassistant

F. F. Cheaney (Superintendent)

Jan.–Dec. 1866

Wells Bailey (Subassistant)

Apr.–Sept. 1867

V. H. Echorn (Subassistant)

Jan.–July 1868

LEXINGTON

Chief Superintendent and Chief Subassistant

John Ely (Chief)

Feb.–Mar. 1866

James H. Rice (Chief Superintendent)

Apr.–June 1866

R. E. Johnson (Chief Superintendent)

June 1866–Feb. 1867

James H. Rice (Acting Chief Superintendent)

Aug.–Oct. 1866

R. E. Johnson (Acting Chief Superintendent)

Oct. 1866–Apr. 1867

R. E. Johnson (Chief Subassistant)

Apr. 1867–Dec. 1868

LEXINGTON

Superintendent and Subassistant

James H. Rice (Superintendent)

June 1866–Apr. 1867

James H. Rice (Subassistant)

Apr.–June 1867

W. R. Montmolin (Acting Subassistant)

June–July 1867

Patrick H. Flood (Subassistant)

July–Oct. 1867

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LOUISVILLE

Superintendent and Subassistant Commissioner

S. A. Porter (Superintendent)	July-Aug. 1865
H. A. McCaleb (Superintendent)	Aug.-Nov. 1865
E. D. Kennedy (Acting Superintendent)	Nov. 1865
Walter Babcock (Superintendent)	Mar.-Apr. 1866
A. Benson Brown (Superintendent)	Apr. 1866
C. H. Frederick (Superintendent)	Apr. 1866-June 1866
A. Benson Brown (Acting Superintendent)	June 1866
C. H. Frederick (Superintendent)	July 1866-Apr. 1867
A. Benson Brown (Assistant Superintendent)	July 1866-Apr. 1867
R. W. Roberts (Subassistant)	Apr.-July 1867
J. Catlin (Subassistant)	July 1867-July 1868
J. Catlin (Chief Subassistant)	July-Dec. 1868

PADUCAH

Chief Superintendent and Chief Subassistant Commissioner

John H. Donovan (Chief Superintendent)	Apr.-Dec. 1866
John F. Smith (Acting Chief Superintendent)	Aug. 1866
W. James Kay (Chief Superintendent)	Dec. 1866-Apr. 1867
W. James Kay (Chief Subassistant)	Apr.-June 1867
W. James Kay (Chief Subassistant)	June 1867-Mar. 1868
P. T. Swaine (Chief Subassistant)	Apr.-July 1868
A. Benson Brown (Chief Subassistant)	July-Dec. 1868

PADUCAH (McCracken County)

Superintendent, Chief Agent, and Subassistant Commissioner

A. M. York (Superintendent)	Aug. 1865-Apr. 1866
John F. Smith (Superintendent)	Apr.-Nov. 1866
Jas. Drysdale (Superintendent)	Dec. 1866-Jan. 1867
C. D. Smith (Superintendent)	Feb.-Apr. 1867
C. D. Smith (Chief Agent)	Apr. 1867
C. D. Smith (Subassistant)	Apr.-May 1867
C. D. Smith (Chief Agent)	May-Nov. 1867
R. S. Egelston (Subassistant)	May-July 1868

PARIS

Agent

Joseph A. Hilduth	Mar. 1866
Thomas I. Elliott	Mar.-May 1866
R. W. Hutchcraft	June-July 1866

RUSSELLVILLE

Subassistant Commissioner

H. A. Hunter	Mar. 1868
M. E. Billings	Apr.-June 1868

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SMITHLAND

Agent

J. Bone Thompson
Solomon Littlefield

Mar. 1866-Jan. 1867

Mar.-June 1867

WINCHESTER

Superintendent

H. C. Howard
George W. Gist
R. C. Nicholas

Feb. and Sept. 1866

Feb.-June and Sept. 1866

Apr. 1866

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⁶ The Adjutant General's Office (AGO) of the War Department assigned the volume numbers shown in parentheses after the records came into its custody. The volume numbers not in parentheses were assigned by the National Archives and Records Administration.

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
5	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i> The four volumes of press copies of letters sent, December 1870–April 1872, 1 (24), 2 (25), 3 (28), and 4 (29), are arranged chronologically, and volume 4 (29) has a name index. Most of the letters in volumes 3 (28) and 4 (29) have been copied into volume 9 (26) of the letters sent, July 1871–April 1872, mentioned above.	
	Volume 1 (24)	Dec. 1870–May 1871
	Volume 2 (25)	May–July 1871
	Volume 3 (28)	July–Aug. 1871
	Volume 4 (29)	Jan. 1871–Apr. 1872
6	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The five volumes of endorsements sent, March 1866–August 1870, 1 (30), 2 (31), 3 (32), 4 (33), and 5 (34), are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (30)	Mar.–Sept. 1866
	Volume 2 (31)	Sept. 1866–Feb. 1867
7	Volume 3 (32)	Feb.–Sept. 1867
8	Volume 4 (33)	Sept. 1867–Dec. 1868
9	Volume 5 (34)	Jan. 1869–Aug. 1870
	<i>Name Index to Registers of Letters Received</i> The single-volume name index, July 1871–April 1872 (13), is an index to volume (12) of the registers of letters received mentioned below.	
	Volume (13)	July 1871–Apr. 1872

Registers of Letters Received

The twelve volumes of registers of letters received are dated March 1866–April 1872 (1–12). Entries in the first nine registers, March 1866–February 1870, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder chronologically. However, each register does not contain all alphabetical divisions. For example, the “As” are in volumes (1), (3), and (9) only, and the “Gs” are in volumes (1), (2), (3), (6), and (9) only. The volume listings below show the initial letters of surnames included in each volume. The entries within each alphabetical division are numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year, but don’t always span the time period listed below.

The last three registers, January 1870–April 1872, are arranged by time period. The entries in volumes 10 and 11 are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder in chronological order and numbered. The entries in volume 12, July 1871–April 1872, are arranged in chronological order and numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year. The name index to volume 12 is volume (13) above. The letters received relating to the registers, March 1866–February 1872, are listed below.

Volume (1)	
A–Z	Mar. 1866–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
9	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)		
	Volume (2)	
	B-H, J, L, Q-T, W	May 1866-Dec. 1868
	Volume (3)	
	A-B, D, F-H, J-M	Sept. 1866-Dec. 1868
	Volume (4)	
	B, F, H, R-S	Apr. 1867-Dec. 1868
10	Volume (5)	
	J-L	Dec. 1866-Jan. 1868
	Volume (6)	
	B-C, G, M-N, T, W-Y	Apr. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume (7)	
	J, L, R-S	July 1867-Dec. 1868
11	Volume (8)	
	B-C, H, K	Aug. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume (9)	
	A-C, G-H, K, N, W	July 1868-Feb. 1870
12	Volume (10)	Jan. 1870-Jan. 1871
	Volume (11)	Jan. 1871-July 1871
	Volume (12)	July 1871-Apr. 1872
13	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received cover the period March 1866-March 1872. For the period March 1866-July 1871, the letters are arranged by year, thereunder alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent, and thereunder numerically. For the period July 1871-February 1872, they are arranged numerically. Almost all of the letters are entered in the registers of letters received mentioned above. Those letters not entered in the registers are filed after the last entered letters for each year.	
	A1-D132	1866
14	D133-F357	1866
15	F358-H281	1866
16	J½-J249	1866
17	J250-J489	1866
18	K½-O27	1866
19	P1-T30	1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
20	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	
	T31	1866
	A4-B249	1867
21	B251-F80	1867
22	F85-G106	1867
23	H1-H741	1867
24	J2-J278	1867
25	J279-J523	1867
26	J524-J775	1867
27	J776-J1018	1867
28	J1019-K314	1867
29	L2-Q	1867
30	R ¹ / ₂ -R348	1867
31	A1-B137	1868
32	B140-B385	1868
33	B386-C221	1868
34	C223-H217	1868
35	H218-J89	1868
36	J90-J348	1868
37	K2-L162	1868
38	M3-S58	1868
39	S59-Y13	1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	Jan.-Nov. 1868
40	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A1-H116	1869

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
41	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	
	H120-H621	1869
42	H623-S46	1869
43	S51-Y <i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	1869 Jan.-Dec. 1869
44	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A1-H683	1870
45	H684-Y <i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	1870 Jan.-Dec. 1870
46	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	A3-W1	1871
	1-178	1871
47	179-585 1-162	1871 Jan.-Mar. 1872
48	ISSUANCES	
	<i>General Orders and Circulars</i>	
	The single volume of general orders and circulars, March 1866-April 1869 (36), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (36)	Mar. 1866-Apr. 1869
	<i>Special Orders</i>	
	The single volume of special orders, March 1866-October 1870 (35), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (35)	Mar. 1866-Oct. 1870
	REPORTS	
	<i>Narrative Report of Bureau Operations for January 1868</i>	
	Unbound narrative report of Bureau operations for January 1868 is dated February 15, 1868. The report may have been compiled by the chief of staff of Assistant Commissioner Sidney Burbank. The last pages of the report are missing.	
		Feb. 15, 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
48 (cont.)	<i>Inspection Reports Received Concerning Freedmen Conditions and the Operations of the Bureau in Kentucky</i> The single volume of inspection reports received concerning Freedmen conditions and the operations of the Bureau in Kentucky, June 1867–October 1868 (37), is arranged chronologically. These are reports to the Assistant Commissioner made by the assistant inspector general.	
	Volume (37)	June 1867–Oct. 1868
49	<i>Monthly Narrative and Statistical School Reports</i> Unbound monthly narrative and statistical school reports, July 1866–December 1868 are arranged chronologically. The reports are by either the Assistant Commissioner or the superintendent of education on the number and kinds of schools available for freedmen in Kentucky and the work of the Bureau in furthering the establishment of schools.	
		July 1866–Dec. 1867
50	<i>Narrative and School Reports</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Dec. 1868
51	<i>Teachers' Monthly School Reports Received</i> Unbound teachers' monthly school reports received, October 1866–June 1870, are arranged chronologically. The reports are mainly from teachers in Kentucky, but at the end of the series there are reports from teachers in Illinois, December 1868–June 1870, and from Indiana, March 1868–June 1869.	
		Oct. 1866–May 1868
52	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	June 1868–Jan. 1869
53	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Feb.–Mar. 1869
54	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Apr.–May 1869
55	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	June–Nov. 1869
56	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Dec. 1869–Feb. 1870
57	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	Feb.–Apr. 1870
58	<i>Teachers' School Reports</i> (cont.)	May–June 1870
	<i>Reports Received from Illinois</i>	Dec. 1868 and Feb.–June 1869 and Oct. 1869–June 1870
	<i>Reports Received from Indiana</i>	Mar. 1868–June 1869

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
59	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. Most of these tabular reports give the number of freedmen at work, under contract, or apprenticed, and the number of outrages committed in each subdistrict of Kentucky. Some of the reports also give the number of arrests, the number of rations, and clothing issued, the number of claims forwarded and collected, and the number of marriage certificates issued.	Apr. 1866–June 1867
60	<i>Reports of Operations (cont.)</i>	July 1867–Nov. 1868
61	<i>Monthly Reports of Confiscated or Abandoned Lands in the Possession of the Assistant Commissioner</i> Unbound monthly reports of confiscated or abandoned lands in the possession of the Assistant Commissioner, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Rations, Clothing, and Medicine Issued</i> Unbound monthly reports of rations, clothing, and medicine issued, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Changes in Officers and Civilians in the Bureau</i> Unbound monthly reports of changes in officers and civilians in the Bureau, September 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically. The reports usually list the appointments and transfers of Bureau personnel during the reporting period.	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1868
62	OTHER RECORDS <i>Rosters of Officers and Civilians on Duty</i> Unbound rosters of officers and civilians on duty, March 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Mar. 1866–May 1867
63	<i>Rosters of Officers and Civilians (cont.)</i>	July 1867–Dec. 1868
64	<i>List of Teachers Assigned to Schools</i> The single-volume list of teachers assigned to schools, October 1869–March 1870 (38), is arranged alphabetically by name of town. The list of teachers was apparently written in a volume that was formerly a name index to another volume.	Oct. 1869–Mar. 1870
	Volume (38)	

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
64	<i>Labor Contracts</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound labor contracts, 1865-68, are arranged by year and thereunder alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the employer.	
	May-Dec.	1865
	A-D	1866
65	E-M	1866
66	N-Y	1866
67	A-Q	1867
68	R-W	1867
	A-W	1868

**OFFICES OF STAFF OFFICERS
DISBURSING OFFICER**

Letters Sent

The single volume of letters sent, May-December 1868 (41), is arranged chronologically.

Volume (41) May-Dec. 1868

69 *Endorsements Sent*

The single volume of endorsements sent, May-December 1868 (42), is arranged chronologically.

Volume (42) May-Dec. 1868

Registers of Letters Received

The two volumes of registers of letters received are dated May-December 1868, 1 (39) and 2 (40). Entries in volume 1 (39) are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder in chronological order and numbered. Volume 2 (40) is a supplemental volume, and it contains entries continued from volume 1 (39) for the letters "B," "C," "H," "M," " and "S." For the letters received, January-December 1868, see the unbound letters received mentioned below.

Volume 1 (39)
A-W May-Dec. 1868
Volume 2 (40) Aug.-Dec. 1868

70 *Letters Received*

Unbound letters received, January-December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered.

A3-B363 Jan.-Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
71	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.) C1-G52	Jan.-Dec. 1868
72	H1-H490	Jan.-Dec. 1868
73	H491-J163	Jan.-Dec. 1868
74	J164-Q9	Jan.-Dec. 1868
75	R2-Y	Jan.-Dec. 1868
76	<i>Registers of Claimants</i> The five volumes of registers of claimants, October 1867-March 1872, 1 (43), 2 (44), 3 (45), 4 (46), and 5 (47), are arranged by time period. The entries are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant and thereunder chronologically. The entries give the name, address, rank, company, and regiment of the soldier; the number of the Treasury certificate; the amount of the claim; and the date it was paid and the amount paid to the claimant.	
	Volume 1 (43)	Oct. 1867-Dec. 1868
	Volume 2 (44)	Jan.-Apr. 1869
	Volume 3 (45)	Feb.-June 1871
	Volume 4 (46)	July-Dec. 1871
	Volume 5 (47)	Jan.-Mar. 1872
77	<i>Register of Claimants</i> The single-volume register of claimants, June-December 1868 (44½), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. Some of the names in this register appear in the five volumes of registers of claimants mentioned above. Since the title on the cover is "Case of Major Benj. P. Runkle tried by general court martial, exhibit No. 34," it appears that this volume was an exhibit in the trial.	
	Volume (44½)	June-Dec. 1868
	<i>Lists of Claimants</i> The five volumes of lists of claimants are dated ca. 1870-72, 1 (48), 2 (49), 3 (50), 4 (51), and 5 (53). Within each volume the lists are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. Most of the volumes include the name, address, rank, company, and regiment of the claimant.	
	Volume 1 (48)	ca. 1870-1872
	Volume 2 (49)	ca. 1870-1872
	Volume 3 (50)	1871-Feb. 1872
	Volume 4 (51)	1870-1871
	Volume 5 (53)	Mar.-Dec. 1870

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
77	<i>Receipts of Claimants for Checks</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound receipts of claimants for checks, May–September 1870, are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of surname of the claimant.	
		May–Sept. 1870
	<i>Postage Accounts</i>	
	The single volume of postage accounts, July–December 1871 (52) is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (52)	July–Dec. 1871
78	CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent, July 1866–June 1869, 1 (55) and 2 (56), are arranged chronologically. Included in volume 1 (55), July 1866–May 1867, are copies of endorsements sent and a list of men for whom certificates of disability were forwarded to the discharge depot, dated July 1863–June 1864.	
	Volume 1 (55)	July 1866–May 1867
	Volume 2 (56)	May 1867–June 1869
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, May–December 1868 (57), is arranged chronologically. Endorsements sent May 1867–May 1868 are entered in the register of letters received listed below.	
	Volume (57)	May–Dec. 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, May 1868–February 1869 (54), is arranged and numbered in chronological order by date received. The first part of the register consists of endorsements sent, May 1867–May 1868, arranged in chronological order and numbered. Endorsements are a separate series and are continued in the single volume of endorsements sent mentioned above.	
	Volume (54)	May 1868–Feb. 1869
79	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, August 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically. They are partially registered in the register of letters received (54) mentioned above.	
		Aug. 1866–Sept. 1867
80	<i>Letters Received</i> (cont.)	Oct. 1867–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
81	<i>Monthly and Weekly Reports of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound monthly and weekly reports of sick and wounded, December 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Dec. 1866–July 1868
82	<i>Monthly Reports Received of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound monthly reports received of sick and wounded, December 1866–December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by location of hospital or dispensary and thereunder chronologically.	Dec. 1866–Dec. 1868
83	<i>Weekly Reports Received of Sick and Wounded</i> Unbound weekly reports received of sick and wounded, December 1866–December 1868, are arranged alphabetically by location of the hospital or dispensary and thereunder chronologically.	
	Covington	Dec. 1866–Oct. 1868
	Lexington	Dec. 1866–July 1868
84	Louisville, East	July–Dec. 1868
	Louisville, West	July–Sept. 1868
	U. S. General Hospital	June 1866–May 1867
	Louisville Consolidated Hospital Reports	Dec. 1866–July 1867
85	Louisville Consolidated Hospital Reports	Aug. 1867–July 1868
86	Louisville	Aug.–Dec. 1868
87	<i>Monthly Returns of Medical Officers and Reports of Attendants</i> Unbound monthly returns of medical officers and reports of attendants, July 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–Dec. 1868

Miscellaneous Records and Reports

Unbound miscellaneous records and reports, August 1866–November 1868, are arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. This series includes contracts between the chief medical officer and individuals (August 1866–March 1867), inventory and inspection reports (September–November 1868), and a monthly return of medical officers serving in the district (May 1867). There is also a monthly report of persons (by name, age, and sex) enrolled in the general hospital for refugees and freedmen (July 1868); a table showing age, sex, and class of unfortunates among the black people (July 1867); a receipt roll of hired men, (May 1867); and an order (February 1867).

Aug. 1866–Nov. 1868

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ROLL DESCRIPTION

DATES

87 SUBORDINATE FIELD OFFICES

(cont.) **AUGUSTA (SUPERINTENDENT—BRACHEN COUNTY)**

Letters Received

Unbound letters received, January–June 1867, are arranged chronologically. The series includes two marriage licenses/certificates with final dates of marriage of November 1866 and April 1867.

Jan.–June 1867

BOWLING GREEN (CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Letters Sent

The two volumes of letters sent, July 1866–June 1868, 1 (68) and 2 (69), are arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. Volume 1 (68) has a name index.

Volume 1 (68)

July 1866–May 1868

Volume 2 (69)

Apr. 1868–June 1868

Endorsements Sent

The single volume of endorsements sent, June–July 1868 (71), is arranged chronologically and numbered.

Volume (71)

June–July 1868

88 Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent

The five registers of letters received and endorsements sent, July 1866–July 1868, 1 (59), 2 (60), 3 (61), 4 (62), and 5 (63), are arranged by time period, and volumes 1 (59), 2 (60), and 3 (61) have name indexes. For letters entered in volumes 3 (61), 4 (62), and 5 (63), see the series of unbound letters received, June 1866–June 1868, mentioned below. The entries in volumes 1 (59), 2 (60), and 3 (61) are arranged in chronological order and numbered with a separate numerical sequence for each year. The entries in volumes 4 (62) and 5 (63) are arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered.

Volume 1 (59)

July 1866–Apr. 1867

Volume 2 (60)

May–Oct. 1867

Volume 3 (61)

Oct. 1867–May 1868

Volume 4 (62)

May–June 1868

Volume 5 (63)

June–July 1868

89 Letters Received

The single volume of letters received, June 1866–December 1867 (58), is arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered, and the volume has a name index. For letters copied into this volume, see the series of letters received, June 1866–June 1868, mentioned below.

Volume (58)

June 1866–Dec. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
89	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound letters received, June 1866–June 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the volume of letters received (58) and the registers of letters received and endorsements sent, 3 (61), 4 (62), 5 (63), mentioned above.	
	1–42	June–Dec. 1866
	29–286, and B3–K9	Jan.–June 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
	The single volume of special orders issued, July 1866–November 1867 and February–April 1868 (72), is arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. The volume also contains circulars issued, February–April 1868, arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (72)	July 1866–Nov. 1867 and Feb.–Apr. 1868
	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	The single volume of special orders received, June 1866–April 1868 (73), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (73)	June 1866–Apr. 1868
90	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	Unbound special orders received, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The series also includes circulars.	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, June 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes both statistical and narrative reports from officers subordinate to the subassistant commissioner and retained copies of reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		June 1866–July 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, July 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes both statistical and narrative reports from officers subordinate to the subassistant commissioner and retained copies of reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		July 1866–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
91	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i> Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, July 1866–May 1868, are arranged chronologically.	July 1866–May 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i> The single-volume register of complaints, July 1866–February 1868 (77), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of “loyal correspondents in Bowling Green District (no date),” arranged by county, and a list of “bounty claims forwarded,” dated August 1867 that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (77)	July 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Register of Cases Tried</i> The single-volume register of cases tried, July 1866–June 1867 (78), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (78)	July 1866–June 1867
	<i>Monthly Reports of Money Received and Expended</i> Unbound monthly reports of money received and expended, June 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Accounts</i> The single volume of accounts, January–October 1867 (75), is arranged by name of person and thereunder chronologically.	
	Volume (75)	Jan.–Oct. 1867
	BOWLING GREEN (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index is an index to the letters sent, September 1866–December 1867 (70), mentioned below.	
	1 Volume (Index to Volume 70)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, September 1866–December 1867 (70), is arranged by year and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. The name index to this series is mentioned above.	
	Volume (70)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
91	<i>Name Index</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume name index (66) is an index to the two volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent, December 1866–December 1867, 1 (64) and 2 (65).	
	Volume (66)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent, December 1866–December 1867, 1 (64) and 2 (65), are arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered. Volume 1 (64) also contains endorsements, September–December 1866, arranged in chronological order and numbered. The name index to this series, volume (66), is mentioned above.	
	Volume 1 (64)	Sept. 1866–Sept. 1867
	Volume 2 (65)	Sept.–Dec. 1867
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	The single volume of letters received, September 1866–December 1867 (67), is arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered.	
	Volume (67)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
92	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, November 1866–December 1867, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (67) mentioned above.	
		Nov. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, October 1865–March 1866 and November 1866–December 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Oct. 1865–Mar. 1866 and Nov. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Special Orders Received</i>	
	The single volume of special orders received, May 1866–December 1867 (74), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (74)	May 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Register of Marriages</i>	
	The single-volume register of marriages, December 1865–January 1866 (79), is arranged alphabetically.	
	Volume (79)	Dec. 1865–Jan. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
92	<i>Accounts</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of accounts, July 1866–February 1867 (76), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of bounty claimants, August 1867–February 1868, arranged chronologically. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (76)	July 1866–Feb. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, January 1866–April 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes special orders (September 1866–November 1867), receipts for money (December 1867), affidavits (September–October 1867). Also included is a register of school tickets issued (April 1868), narrative reports (January 1866), and reports of expenses (January 1866).	
		Jan. 1866–Apr. 1868
	BRANDENBURG (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Registers of Letters Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of register of letters sent and received, January–July 1867 (80), is arranged by type of register and thereunder chronologically. The volume also includes letters sent from Brandenburg dated September 1866 and a register of letters received at Owensboro (June–July 1868).	
	Volume (80)	Sept. 1866 and Jan.–July 1867
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, May–June 1868 (82), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. For letters sent September 1866 and a register of letters sent January–July 1867, see the single volume of registers of letters sent and received (80) mentioned above.	
	Volume (82)	May–June 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, May–July 1868 (81), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (81)	May–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, May–June 1868, are arranged chronologically. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (81) mentioned above.	
		May–June 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
92	BURKSVILLE (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
(cont.)	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, October 1866–July 1868 (83), is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (83)	Oct. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, September 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Sept. 1866–June 1868
93	<i>Monthly Statistical Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly statistical reports of operations, September 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Sept. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Cases in Freedmans Court</i> The single-volume register of cases in "Freedmans Court," October 1866–October 1867 (84), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (84)	Oct. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, May 1866–July 1868, are arranged by type of record. Included are monthly reports of schools (October 1866–July 1868); monthly reports of accounts current (May 1866–March 1867); reports of persons and articles hired (February and July 1868); claims for reimbursement (November 1866); and receipts, warrants, and cases tried (October–November 1866).	
		May 1866–July 1868
	COLUMBUS (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, June 1866–July 1868 (87), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains indentures of apprenticeship (April 1866–January 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (87)	June 1866–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received and a Register of Letters Received</i> The single volume of letters received and a register of letters received, March 1866–May 1868 (86), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The letters received are dated March 1866–April 1868 and the register is dated April–May 1868.	
	Volume (86)	Mar. 1866–May 1868

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93 (cont.)	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, March–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. Several letters are entered in the single volume of letters received and a register of letters received (86) mentioned above. However, most are not.	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Circulars and Special Orders Received</i> The single volume of circulars and special orders received, July 1865–March 1868 (88), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (88)	July 1865–Mar. 1868
	<i>Contracts</i> The single volume of contracts, April 1866–November 1867 (89), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also includes a register of marriages dated May 1866–April 1868.	
	Volume (89)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1867
	<i>Proceedings of Freedmen's Court</i> The single volume of proceedings of Freedmen's Court, April–July 1866 (90), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (90)	Apr.–July 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, April–October 1866 and September 1867, are arranged by type of record. The series includes a statement of accounts current (April 1866); affidavits (October 1866 and September 1867); and quarterly reports of schools (April–June 1866).	
		Apr.–Oct. 1866 and Sept. 1867
	COVINGTON (SUPERINTENDENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The two volumes of letters sent, May 1866–July 1868, 1 (92) and 2 (93), are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (92)	May–Dec. 1866
	Volume 2 (93)	Jan. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent and Received</i> The single volume of endorsements sent and received, January 1867–July 1868 (94), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (94)	Jan. 1867–July 1868

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93	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of letters received, December 1866–July 1868 (91), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (91)	Dec. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, January–August 1866 (138), is arranged chronologically. The register also contains names of people applying for bounties and a register of letters received by the assistant disbursing officer at Louisville (January–April 1871), which is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (138)	Jan.–Aug. 1866
	<i>Accounts</i>	
	The single volume of accounts, January–April 1866 (95), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains a list of men who applied for bounty claims (no date), which is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (95)	Jan.–Apr. 1866
94	CYNTHIANA (SUPERINTENDENT)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, March–July 1866, are arranged chronologically. The series includes orders and circulars received.	
		Mar.–July 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, August–October 1866, are arranged by type of record. The series includes testimonies taken at cases tried August 1866 and marriage licenses (October 1866).	
		Aug.–Oct. 1866
	DANVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The three volumes of letters sent, June 1866–June 1868, 1 (100), 2 (101), and 3 (102), are arranged chronologically. Volume 3 (102) also contains a register of letters sent (August–September 1867), arranged in chronological order and numbered. This volume has a name index.	
	Volume 1 (100)	Feb.–June 1868
	Volume 2 (101)	Apr.–June 1868
	Volume 3 (102)	June 1866–Sept. 1867

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94 *Registers of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent and Received*

(cont.) The four volumes of registers of letters received and endorsements sent and received, September 1866–July 1868, 1 (98), 2 (99), 3 (96), and 4 (97), are arranged chronologically. However, volume 3 (96), which is dated February–April 1868, overlaps in dates with the other registers and appears to include letters filed in the office. The other registers consist almost entirely of letters forwarded to other officers. For letters entered in register 3 (96), see the series of letters received February–April 1868 mentioned below.

Volume 1 (98)	Sept. 1866–Dec. 1867
Volume 2 (99)	Dec. 1867–Apr. 1868
Volume 3 (96)	Feb.–Apr. 1868
Volume 4 (97)	Apr.–July 1868

Letters Received

Unbound letters received, February–April 1868, are arranged according to their entry in register (96) mentioned above.

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95 *Unregistered Letters Received*

Unbound unregistered letters received, January 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.

Jan. 1866–June 1868

96 *Miscellaneous Records*

Unbound miscellaneous records, March 1862–June 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes orders received (March 1866–March 1868); monthly operations reports (July 1866–June 1868); monthly school reports (May 1866–June 1868); monthly reports of accounts current and receipts and expenditures (June 1866–January 1867); monthly reports of persons and articles hired (May 1866–June 1868); monthly returns of quartermaster stores received, issued, and remaining on hand (June 1866–June 1867); a list of grand and petit jurors (March 1862–67); a report of unfortunates among freedmen (June 1867); an affidavit (July 1867); a court statement (no date); and a labor contract (January 1866).

Mar. 1862–June 1868

FALMOUTH (AGENT)

Letters Sent

The single volume of letters sent, March 1867–June 1867 (85), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains letters received, February 1867, that are duplicated in volume (103) of letters and orders received September 1866–June 1867 mentioned below.

Volume (85)	Mar.–June 1867
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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
96	<i>Letters and Orders Received</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of letters and orders received, September 1866–June 1867 (103), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (103)	Sept.–June 1867
	GEORGETOWN (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, July 1866–June 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1866–June 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, June 1866–June 1867, are arranged by type of record. The series includes statistical reports of operations (June 1866–June 1867); reports of receipts and expenditures (June 1866–January 1867); monthly school reports by district superintendent (March 1867); and an affidavit (November 1866).	
		June 1866–June 1867
	GREENSBURG (SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, October 1866–February 1868 (104), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains letters received (March–August 1867), arranged chronologically by date received, and a register of letters received (August 1867–January 1868), arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (104)	Oct. 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent and received, October 1866–February 1868 (105), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (105)	Oct. 1866–Feb. 1868
	HENDERSON (CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March–July 1868 (109), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (109)	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received and endorsements sent, March–July 1868 (107), is arranged in chronological order and numbered and has a name index.	
	Volume (107)	Mar.–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
97	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, March–July 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the register in register of letters received and endorsements sent (107) mentioned above.	Mar.–July 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, February–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Feb.–July 1868
	HENDERSON (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, April–September 1867 and January–July 1868 (110), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (110)	Apr.–Sept. 1867 and Jan.–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The single volume of endorsements sent, April 1867–July 1868 (111), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (111)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i> The single-volume register of letters received, April–May 1867 and January–July 1868 (108), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (108)	Apr.–May 1867 and Jan.–July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, February–December 1866, August–October 1867, and January–July 1868, are arranged chronologically. Some of the letters are entered in the register of letters received (108) mentioned above.	
		Feb.–Dec. 1866, Aug.– Oct. 1867, and Jan.– July 1868
	<i>Register of Indentures</i> The single-volume register of indentures, January 1866–February 1868 (113), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also includes comments on the loyalty of certain parties in the area (February–March 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (113)	Jan. 1866–Feb. 1868

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97 *Miscellaneous Records*

(cont.) Unbound miscellaneous records, March 1866–July 1868, are arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. The series includes monthly statistical reports of operations (March–June 1866); monthly school reports (November 1867–July 1868); monthly reports of persons and articles hired (January 1867–June 1868); muster rolls of a detachment (April and June 1868); complaints (April 1868); and a receipt for money (May 1866).

May 1866–July 1868

HODGINSVILLE (AGENT)

Freedmen's Contracts

The single volume of Freedmen's contracts, January 1866–June 1867 (106), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically. The volume also contains a register of complaints (March–December 1868), which was probably compiled at Louisville, Kentucky.

Volume (106)

Jan. 1866–June 1867 and
Mar.–Dec. 1868

LEBANON (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Letters Sent

The single volume of letters sent, March–July 1868 (117), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.

Volume (117)

Mar.–July 1868

Register of Letters Received

The single-volume register of letters received, February–July 1868 (115), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder chronologically. For letters received, see the unbound letters received, March–June 1868, mentioned below.

Volume (115)

Feb.–July 1868

Letters Received

Unbound letters received, March–June 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the register of letters received (115) mentioned above.

Mar.–June 1868

Unregistered Letters Received

Unbound unregistered letters received, February–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.

Feb.–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
97	<i>Register of Letters Received Relating to Claims</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume register of letters received relating to claims, March 1868 and June 1868 (114), is arranged chronologically. The register also contains two endorsements dated June 1868.	
	Volume (114)	Mar. 1868 and June 1868
	<i>Register of Claimants</i>	
	The single-volume register of claimants, May 1866–February 1868 (118), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname for 1866 and arranged generally in chronological order for 1867 and 1868.	
	Volume (118)	May 1866–Feb. 1868
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, February–June 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes reports of persons and articles hired (February–June 1868); school reports (February–June 1868); and reports of assaults committed on refugees and freedmen (June 1868).	
		Feb.–June 1868
98	LEBANON (DISBURSING OFFICER)	
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, August–December 1871, are arranged chronologically.	
		Aug.–Dec. 1871
	<i>Papers Relating to the Claim of John Spalding and Lists of Claimants</i>	
	Unbound papers relating to the claim of John Spalding and lists of claimants are dated 1871.	
		1871
	LEXINGTON (CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The four volumes of letters sent, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (122), 2 (123), 3 (124), and 4 (125), are arranged chronologically, and volume 1 (122) has a name index.	
	Volume 1 (122)	Feb.–Oct. 1866
	Volume 2 (123)	Oct. 1866–Nov. 1867
99	Volume 3 (124)	Nov. 1867–Sept. 1868
	Volume 4 (125)	Sept.–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
100	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The five volumes of endorsements sent, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (127), 2 (128), 3 (129), 4 (130), and 5 (131), are arranged chronologically. Volume 2 (128) contains a name index to volumes 1 (127) and 2 (128). Volume 1 (127) Volume 2 (128) Volume 3 (129)	 Feb.–Sept. 1866 Sept. 1866–Feb. 1867 Feb.–Oct. 1867
101	Volume 4 (130) Volume 5 (131)	Oct. 1867–June 1868 June–Dec. 1868
	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i> The two volumes of registers of letters received, February 1866–December 1868, 1 (119) and 2 (120), are arranged in chronological order and numbered. There is a name index in volume 1 (119). For letters received, see the letters received, March 1866–December 1868, mentioned below. Volume 1 (119) Volume 2 (120)	 Feb.–Dec. 1866 Dec. 1866–Dec. 1868
102	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, March 1866–December 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the registers of letters received, 1 (119) and 2 (120), mentioned above. Mar. 1866–Dec. 1868	
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, February 1866–December 1868, are arranged chronologically. Feb.–May 1866	
103	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	June–Dec. 1866
104	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Aug. 1867
105	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Sept. 1867–Feb. 1868
106	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Mar.–Dec. 1868
	<i>General Orders Issued</i> The single volume of general orders issued, February–April 1866 (134), is arranged in chronological order and numbered. The volume also contains circulars issued (February 1866–January 1868), arranged by year and thereunder arranged numerically. Volume (134)	 Feb.–Apr. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
106	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of special orders issued, March 1866–July 1868 (133), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (133)	Mar. 1866–July 1868
107	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, August 1865–December 1868, are arranged by type of issuance and thereunder chronologically.	
		Aug. 1865–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, February 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Feb.–Dec. 1866
108	<i>Reports of Operations</i> (cont.)	Jan. 1867–Oct. 1868
109	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, May 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		May 1866–Nov. 1868
110	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, March 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. The series includes reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–July 1867
111	<i>Reports of Persons . . .</i> (cont.)	Aug. 1867–Nov. 1868
	<i>Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
	Unbound reports of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–April 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Apr. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, December 1865–November 1868, are arranged by type of record. The series includes statistical reports of unfortunates (May–June 1866); reports of outrages to freedmen and Unionists (December 1865–November 1866); receipts for money (January 1866–November 1868); yearly return of medical and hospital property (December 1866); and court papers, affidavits, and statements (March 1866–June 1867).	
		Dec. 1865–Nov. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
112	LEXINGTON (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent are dated June 1866–October 1867 and July 1868, 1 (123½) and 2 (126). Volume 1 (123½) covers the period October 1867–July 1868 and is arranged chronologically. Volume 2 (126) covers the period June 1866–September 1867 and is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume 1 (123½)	Oct. 1867, Nov. 1867 and July 1868
	Volume 2 (126)	June 1866–Sept. 1867
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, July 1866–October 1867 (132), is arranged in chronological order and numbered.	
	Volume (132)	July 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, July 1866–October 1867 and July 1868 (121), is arranged in chronological order and numbered. For letters received, see the letters received (September 1866–September 1867) mentioned below.	
	Volume (121)	July 1866–Oct. 1867 and July 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, September 1866–September 1867, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the register of letters received (121) mentioned above.	
		Sept. 1866–Sept. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, June 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, April–September 1866 (135), is arranged generally chronologically.	
	Volume (135)	Apr.–Sept. 1866
113	LOUISVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of press copies of letters sent, July 1865–October 1867, 1 (139) and 2 (140), are arranged chronologically, and both volumes have name indexes.	
	Volume 1 (139)	July 1865–Aug. 1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
114	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i> (cont.) Volume 2 (140)	Aug. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index (141½) is an index to the single-volume series of letters sent, July–December 1868 (141), mentioned below. Volume (141½)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, July–December 1868 (141), is arranged chronologically. Volume (141)	July–Dec. 1868
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index, July–December 1868 (144), is a partial index to the two volumes of endorsements sent, August 1865–December 1868, 1 (142) and 2 (143), mentioned below. Volume (144)	July–Dec. 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i> The two volumes of endorsements sent, 1 (142) and 2 (143), cover the period August 1865–December 1868. Volume 1 (142) is arranged in chronological order and numbered and has a name index. Volume 2 (143) is arranged chronologically. For a name index to volume 2 (143), see the single-volume name index (144) listed above. Volume 1 (142) Volume 2 (143)	Aug. 1865–July 1868 July 1868–Dec. 1868
	<i>Name Index</i> The single-volume name index, July–December 1868 (137½), is a partial index to the two volumes of registers of letters received, July–October 1865 and April 1866–December 1868, mentioned below. Volume (137½)	July–Dec. 1868
115	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i> The two volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (136) and 2 (137), cover the period July–October 1865 and April 1866–December 1868. Volume 1 (136) is arranged numerically and has a name index. Volume 2 (137) is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the correspondent and thereunder arranged in chronological order and numbered. For a name index to Volume 2 (137), see the single-volume name index (137½) mentioned above; for the letters received, see the unbound letters received, August 1865–October 1868, mentioned below. Volume 1 (136) Volume 2 (137)	July–October 1865 and April 1866–July 1868 July–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
115	<i>Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound letters received, August 1865–October 1868, are arranged according to their entry in the two volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (136) and 1 (137), mentioned above.	
	1–49	1865
	2–254	1866
116	2–604	Jan.–Dec. 1867
	8–359	Jan.–June 1868
	A2–T5	Aug.–Oct. 1868
117	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, July 1865–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1865–Dec. 1867
118	<i>Unregistered Letters</i> (cont.)	Jan.–Dec. 1868
	<i>Special Orders Issued</i>	
	The single volume of special orders issued, April 1866–September 1868 (145), is arranged by year and thereunder numerically.	
	Volume (145)	Apr. 1866–Sept. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders and circulars received, July 1865–November 1868, are arranged by type of order and thereunder chronologically.	
		July 1865–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of operations, March 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically. Included are reports from subordinate officers and reports to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–Oct. 1868
119	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, September 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr.–June 1866 and Sept. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, February 1867–December 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Feb. 1867–Dec. 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
119	<i>Monthly Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound monthly reports of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–January 1867, are arranged chronologically. The reports are mainly from subordinate officers. Also included are a few reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Mar. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Registers of Complaints</i>	
	The two volumes of registers of complaints, January 1866–January 1867, 1 (151) and 2 (152), are arranged chronologically. The dates of the volumes overlap. Volume 1 (151) covers the period January–September 1866. Volume 2 (152) covers the period January 1866–January 1867.	
	Volume 1 (151)	Jan.–Sept. 1866
	Volume 2 (152)	Jan. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Proceedings of Freedmen's Court</i> ("Minutes of Daily Proceedings")	
	The single volume of proceedings of Freedmen's Court ("Minutes of Daily Proceedings") is dated January–November 1867 (153), and is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (153)	Jan.–Nov. 1867
	<i>Affidavits and Records Relating to Complaints</i>	
	Unbound affidavits and records relating to complaints, September 1863 and 1865–67, are arranged by initial letter of the surname of the complainant.	
	A–B	1865–1867
120	C–S	1863 and 1866–1867
121	T–Y	1866–1867
	<i>Warrants Issued in Response to Freedmen's Complaints</i>	
	Unbound warrants issued in response to freedmen's complaints cover the period January–December 1866. Those covering the period January–December 1866 are arranged by initial letter of the surname. Warrants covering the period January–September 1866 are arranged numerically.	
	A–Y	Jan.–Dec. 1866
122	1–556	Jan.–Sept. 1866
123	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of Freedmen's contracts, January 1866–July 1867 (150), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (150)	Jan. 1866–July 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
123	<i>Indentures</i>	
(cont.)	The single volume of indentures, January 1866–November 1867 and April–August 1866 (149), is arranged chronologically. The volume also contains special orders received, April–August 1866, that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (149)	Jan. 1866–Nov. 1867 and Apr.–Aug. 1866
	<i>Register of Applications Forwarded for Bounty Claims</i>	
	The single volume of applications forwarded for bounty claims, May 1866–June 1868 (147), is arranged chronologically and numbered.	
	Volume (147)	May 1866–June 1868
	<i>Register of Claimants for Bounties</i>	
	The single-volume register of claimants for bounties, August–December 1868 (148), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (148)	Aug.–Dec. 1868
	<i>Station Book of Officers in the Louisville Subdistrict</i>	
	The single-volume station book of officers in the Louisville subdistrict is undated and not arranged. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (146)	No date
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records cover the period October 1865–October 1868 and are arranged by record type. The records include money receipts (June 1866–September 1868); affidavits and declarations (January 1866); bonds relating to freedmen (October 1865–May 1866); a promissory note (October 1868); a table of unfortunates among freedmen (September 1867); and reports of outrages and murders (December 1865–October 1866). Also included is a memorandum of condition of affairs in Lexington and central subdistricts of Kentucky (May 1866); a list of persons discharged from freedmen and refugee hospitals (July 1868); an opinion of the Board relating to clothing deficiencies in the return of the assistant surgeon (February 1867); and a list of persons refusing to pay taxes for the hospital (April 1866).	
		Oct. 1865–Oct. 1868
	MAYSVILLE (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, MASON COUNTY)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The two volumes of letters sent, May 1866–July 1868, 1 (157) and 2 (158), are arranged chronologically. Following the letters in volume 1 (157) are circulars and special orders (January 1867–May 1868) that are arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (157)	May–Dec. 1866
	Volume 2 (158)	Jan. 1867–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
123	<i>Registers of Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	The three volumes of registers of letters received, 1 (154), 2 (155), and 3 (156), cover the period July 1866–July 1868. The volumes also include endorsements sent. Volumes 1 (154) and 2 (155) are arranged chronologically by date received. Volume 3 (156) is arranged in chronological order by the date received and numbered. The volumes have overlapping dates. Volume 2 (155) also contains a register of bounty claims, August–September (no year), that is arranged by the month the claim was forwarded. The volume also contains a register of “widows claims,” November 1866, that are arranged by the date the claim was forwarded.	
	Volume 1 (154)	July 1866–May 1867
	Volume 2 (155)	May–Dec. 1867
	Volume 3 (156)	Jan. 1867–July 1868
124	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, March 1866–December 1867, are arranged chronologically. Some of the letters are entered in the registers of letters received mentioned above, but most are not.	
		Mar. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i>	
	Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, February 1866–December 1867, are arranged by type of order and thereunder chronologically.	
		Feb. 1866–Dec. 1867
	<i>Monthly Reports of Persons and Articles Hired</i>	
	Unbound monthly reports of persons and articles hired, May 1866–April 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		May 1866–Apr. 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i>	
	Unbound monthly school reports, July 1866–April 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		July 1866–Apr. 1868
	<i>Monthly Returns of Quartermaster's Stores Received and Issued</i>	
	Unbound monthly returns of quartermaster's stores received and issued, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, May 1866–May 1867 (160), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (160)	May 1866–May 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
124	<i>Register of Claimants</i>	
(cont.)	The single-volume register of claimants, September 1866–July 1868 (159), is arranged alphabetically by initial letter of the surname of the claimant. The register gives the name and address of the claimant, whether he was “loyal” or “disloyal,” and the date of the report proving his loyalty. Claimants are white citizens.	
	Volume (159)	Sept. 1866–July 1868
125	<i>Monthly Returns of Receipts and Expenditures</i>	
	Unbound monthly returns of receipts and expenditures, March 1866–March 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Mar. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, June 1866–March 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include receipt rolls of clothing issued (February–March 1868); reports of accounts current (June 1866–February 1867); a list of stores received from the quartermaster (January 1868); and a list of unfortunates among the freedmen (May 1867).	
		June 1866–Mar. 1868
	MT. STERLING (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The three volumes of letters sent, June 1866–July 1868, 1 (161), 2 (162), and 3 (163), are arranged chronologically. The volumes have overlapping dates.	
	Volume 1 (161)	June–July 1866 and June 1866–Apr. 1868
	Volume 2 (162)	June 1866–Mar. 1867
	Volume 3 (163)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Contracts</i>	
	The single-volume register of contracts, January–July 1866 (166), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (166)	Jan.–July 1866
	<i>Marriage Certificates</i>	
	The two volumes of marriage certificates, 1 (164) and 2 (165), are dated 1866. Volume 1 (164) covers the period February–April 1866, is arranged chronologically, and has a name index. The certificates in Volume 2 (165) are not notated with specific dates, and are unarranged. The volume also includes a divorce certificate (October 1866) and a register of marriages dated October 1866–May (no date) that is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume 1 (164)	Feb.–Apr. 1866
	Volume 2 (165)	1866

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
125	<i>Monthly Returns of Quartermaster's Stores Received and Issued</i> (cont.) Unbound monthly returns of quartermaster's stores received and issued, June 1866–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	June 1866–June 1868
	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i> The single volume of freedmen's contracts (167) is dated January 1867.	
	Volume (167)	Jan. 1867
	NICHOLASVILLE (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, November 1866–October 1867 (168), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (168)	Nov. 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–July 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–July 1867
126	<i>Special Orders and Circulars Received</i> Unbound special orders and circulars received, March 1866–June 1867, are arranged by type of order and thereunder arranged chronologically and numbered.	
		Mar. 1866–June 1867
	<i>Monthly Statistical Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly statistical reports of operations, May 1866–October 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		May 1866–Oct. 1867
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i> Unbound monthly school reports, January–November 1867 are arranged chronologically.	
		Jan.–Nov. 1867
	<i>List of Claimants</i> The single-volume list of claimants (169) is not dated and is arranged by type of list. The volume also contains loose copies of indentures (September–October 1865, May–June 1866, and February and May 1867) that are not arranged.	
	Volume (169)	No dates

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MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
126	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound miscellaneous records, April 1866–April 1867, are arranged by type of record. The records include cases tried (April–November 1866); receipts and expenditures (July and December 1866); monthly return of quartermaster's stores (June 1866); and an affidavit (April 1867).	
		Apr. 1866–Apr. 1867
	OWENSBORO (SUPERINTENDENT AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Press Copies of Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of press copies of letters sent, October 1866–May 1868 (172), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (172)	Oct. 1866–May 1868
127	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, April 1867–July 1868 (173), is arranged chronologically and has a name index..	
	Volume (173)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Endorsements Sent</i>	
	The single volume of endorsements sent, April 1867–July 1868 (174), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (174)	Apr. 1867–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, January 1867–June 1868 (170), is arranged chronologically. For a register of letters received at Owensboro dated June–July 1868, see the single-volume register of letters sent and received, January–July 1867 (80), by the subassistant commissioner for Brandenburg.	
	Volume (170)	Jan. 1867–June 1868
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound letters received, January 1867–May 1868, are arranged in chronological order by date received and numbered. The letters are entered in the register of letters received (170) mentioned above.	
		Jan. 1867–May 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received by Endorsement</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received by endorsement, April 1867–July 1868 (171), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (171)	Apr. 1867–July 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
127	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound unregistered letters received, May 1866–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	May 1866–July 1868
128	<i>Marriage Certificates Issued</i>	
	Unbound marriage certificates issued, June 1866–August 1868, are arranged by year and thereunder by initial letter of the surname of the family.	June 1866–Aug. 1868

Miscellaneous Records

Unbound miscellaneous records, October 1865–July 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include affidavits (October 1865 and January 1868), and monthly reports of persons and articles hired (March–July 1868).

Oct. 1865–July 1868

PADUCAH (CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Letters Sent

The three volumes of letters sent, April 1866–December 1868, 1 (176), 2 (177), and 3 (178), are arranged chronologically, and each volume has a name index.. Volume 3 (178) also includes letters sent (September–December 1868) by V. H. Echorn, superintendent of schools of the Western District, which are interfiled with other letters in the volume.

Volume 1 (176)	Apr. 1866–Jan. 1868
Volume 2 (177)	Jan. 1868–Aug. 1868
Volume 3 (178)	Sept.–Dec. 1868

Endorsements Sent and Received

The single volume of endorsements sent and received, April 1866–November 1868 (180), is arranged by endorsements sent and endorsements received and thereunder chronologically. The volume has a name index.

Volume (180)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
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Register of Letters Received

The single-volume register of letters received, April 1866–December 1868 (175), is arranged in chronological order by the date it was received and numbered. The volume has a name index.

Volume (175)	Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
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MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
129	<i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, April 1866–December 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the single-volume register of letters received (175) mentioned above.	Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
130	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, April 1866–October 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Apr. 1866–Oct. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Issued</i> The single volume of orders, special orders, and circulars issued, April 1866–November 1868 (182), is arranged by type of issuance, thereunder by year, and thereunder numerically. The volume does not include all types of issuances for all time periods.	
	Volume (182)	Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>General Orders, Special Orders, and Circulars Received</i> Unbound general orders, special orders, and circulars received, April 1866–December 1868, are arranged by type of document and thereunder chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–Dec. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations, April 1866–April 1867, are arranged chronologically.	
		Apr. 1866–Apr. 1867
131	<i>Monthly Reports of Operations Received from Subordinate Offices</i> Unbound monthly reports of operations received from subordinate offices, March 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Mar. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly School Reports</i> Unbound monthly school reports, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. These are reports from subordinate officers and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	
		Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868
	<i>Monthly Reports Received from Subordinate Offices of Persons and Articles Hired</i> Unbound monthly reports received from subordinate offices of persons and articles hired, April 1866–November 1868, are arranged chronologically. Reports to the Assistant Commissioner (September 1866–April 1867) are at the end of the series.	
		Apr. 1866–Nov. 1868

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MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
131 (cont.)	<i>Returns of Stores Received and Issued</i> Unbound returns of stores received and issued, June–December 1866, are arranged chronologically. The returns included those from subordinate offices and those sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	June–Dec. 1866
132	<i>Monthly Reports of Receipts and Expenditures</i> Unbound monthly reports of receipts and expenditures, May 1866–February 1867, are arranged chronologically. The series includes monthly reports from subordinate offices and reports sent to the Assistant Commissioner.	May 1866–Feb. 1867
	<i>Complaints, Affidavits, and Evidence Relating to Court Cases</i> Unbound complaints, affidavits, and evidence relating to court cases, April–December 1866, are arranged by type of record.	Apr.–Dec. 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, April 1866–July 1867, are arranged by document type. They include estimates for buildings (April–July 1866); a report of persons murdered or maltreated relating to freedmen (December 1865–October 1866); and tables showing the number of unfortunates among freedmen (April 1866–July 1867). The records also contain marriage certificates issued and a list of marriages as recorded in Paducah (April 1866); vouchers issued relating to services performed for the Bureau (April 1866); and abstracts of articles purchased and expended (April 1866).	Apr. 1866–July 1867
	PADUCAH (SUPERINTENDENT, CHIEF AGENT, AND SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER, MCCrackEN COUNTY)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i> The single volume of letters sent, April 1866–July 1868 (179), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (179)	Apr. 1866–July 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received and Endorsements Sent</i> The single-volume register of letters received, February–May 1867, and endorsements sent, December 1866–January 1867 (181), is arranged by type of record and thereunder chronologically. The volume also includes a register of civil cases tried at the freedmen's court at Paducah (September 1865–May 1866).	
	Volume (181)	Feb.–May 1867 and Dec. 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i> Unbound unregistered letters received, August 1865–July 1868, are arranged chronologically.	Aug. 1865–July 1868

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MICROFILM PUBLICATIONS

ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
132	<i>Circulars and Orders Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound circulars and orders received, July 1865–March 1866, are arranged chronologically.	July 1865–Mar. 1866
	<i>Register of Contracts with Freedmen at Paducah</i>	
	The single-volume register of contracts with freedmen at Paducah, September 1865–January 1868 (183), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (183)	Sept. 1865–Jan. 1868
	<i>Register of Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, September 1865–October 1868 (184), is arranged in general chronological order.	
	Volume (184)	Sept. 1865–Oct. 1868
	<i>Abstracts of Rations Received and Issued</i>	
	Unbound abstracts of rations received and issued, February–August 1867, are arranged chronologically.	Feb.–Aug. 1867
133	PADUCAH (SUPERINTENDENT—SEE COLUMBUS)	
	PARIS (AGENT)	
	<i>Freedmen's Contracts</i>	
	The single volume of freedmen's contracts, March–July 1866 (185), is arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (185)	Mar.–July 1866
	RUSSELLVILLE (SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)	
	<i>Letters Sent</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent, March–June 1868 (187), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (187)	Mar.–June 1868
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, March–May 1868 (186), is arranged in chronological order by the date received and numbered. The volume has a name index.	
	Volume (186)	Mar.–May 1868

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
133	<i>Registered Letters Received</i>	
(cont.)	Unbound registered letters received February–May 1868, are arranged in chronological order and numbered. The letters are registered in the register of letters received (186) mentioned above.	
		Feb.–May 1868
	<i>Unregistered Letters Received</i>	
	Unbound unregistered letters received, October 1867–June 1868, are arranged chronologically.	
		Oct. 1867–June 1868
	<i>Complaints</i>	
	The single-volume register of complaints, August–September 1866 (188), is arranged in two subseries and thereunder chronologically.	
	Volume (188)	Aug.–Sept. 1866
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i>	
	Unbound miscellaneous records, August 1866 and March–May 1868, are arranged by type of record. The records include reports of schools (March–May 1868); a monthly report of persons and articles hired (March 1868); a monthly report of operations (March 1868); and affidavits (August 1866 and May 1868).	
		Aug. 1866 and Mar.–May 1868
	SMITHLAND (AGENT)	
	<i>Register of Letters Received</i>	
	The single-volume register of letters received, ca. March 1866–June 1867 (191), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The volume also contains letters sent and received (March 1866–June 1867), arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (191)	Mar. 1866–June 1867
	STANFORD (AGENT)	
	<i>Letters Sent and Received</i>	
	The single volume of letters sent and received, March–November 1867 (189), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (189)	Mar.–Nov. 1867
	<i>Letters Received</i>	
	The single volume of letters received, November 1866–October 1867 (190), is arranged chronologically and has a name index. The series also includes orders received.	
	Volume (190)	Nov. 1866–Oct. 1867

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ROLL	DESCRIPTION	DATES
133 (cont.)	VERSAILLES (AGENT) <i>Letters Received</i> Unbound letters received, August 1866–November 1867, are arranged chronologically.	Aug. 1866–Nov. 1867
	<i>Miscellaneous Records</i> Unbound miscellaneous records, August 1866–October 1867, are arranged by type of record. The records include reports of operations (January–October 1867); school reports of the district superintendent (February–September 1867); and reports of persons and articles hired (August 1866–September 1867).	Aug. 1866–Oct. 1867
	WINCHESTER (SUPERINTENDENT) <i>Register of Letters Received</i> The single-volume register of letters received, June 1866–January 1867 (192), is arranged chronologically by date received.	
	Volume (192)	June 1866–Jan. 1867
	<i>Marriage Certificates</i> The single volume of marriage certificates, February–September 1866 (193), is arranged chronologically and has a name index.	
	Volume (193)	Feb.–Sept. 1866
	<i>Contracts</i> The single volume of contracts, January–June 1866 (194), is arranged in general chronological order. There are also some loose contracts in the volume. The volume also contains bounty requests (February–April 1866) arranged chronologically.	
	Volume (194)	Jan.–June 1866

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RECORDS OF THE FIELD OFFICES FOR THE STATE OF
KENTUCKY, BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN, AND
ABANDONED LANDS, 1865-1872

ROLL 103

SUBORDINATE FIELD OFFICES
LEXINGTON (CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT AND CHIEF SUBASSISTANT COMMISSIONER)

Unregistered Letters Received

June-Dec. 1866

Bureau A. F. & A. L.
Md Geo & A. L.
Lexington Ky Nov 1. 1866.

Johnson L. H.
Sept

Transmits report of Club
and building enclosed for
May 1866.

June
1866

Recd L. S. D. Jan 1. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Fifth District, Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., June 1st 1866

Captain I have the honor to transmit
herewith a report of Clerks and
Buildings employed by me for
the month of May 1866

Very respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.

J. H. Johnson
Supt 5th Dist,

To
Capt James H Rice
Chf Supt Lex, Sub, Dist,
Lexington Ky

Warren R R & A Lands
Ad Qrs 5 Dist
Lexington Ky Jan 1. 1866.

Johnson J. H.
Capt re

Transmits Vouchers for
his Services as Capt.

Recd L S D Jan 1. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Fifth District, Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky, June 1st 1866

Captain;

I have the honor to transmit herewith vouchers for my services as Supt 5th Dist, for the months of April and May 1866.

I trust that you will forward them approved, as my duties have been arduous, and affording no remuneration.

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

J. H. Johnson

Supt 5th Dist

To/
Capt. James H. Rice
Chf. Supt, Lexington sub. Dist,
Lexington Ky

MADE 5
Dwight R. F. & A. Lands
Head Qrs 1st Dist
Louisville Ky June 1. 1866.

~~Alb~~
Dwight Ler. F
It & a a a Gene.

Requests certified copies of
Records in case of Outrage
Committed by John Goodpastor
& Winfield Scott Carpenter on
certain freedmen in Bath Co
Ky and the Releasement from
the Custody of the Agent of
this Bureau by one Judge
Apperson.

Recd U. S. D. Jun 2. 1866.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

HEAD-QUARTERS, SUB-DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. June 1st 1866.

Br. Col. R. B. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Br. Brig Genl John Bly Chief, Supt
&c Sub-Dist of Kentucky, to instruct you to forward to these
Head Quarters certified copies of all the records in your
office relating to the case of an outrage committed by
John Goodpaster, and Winfield Scott Carpenter, on certain
freedmen in Bath County Ky, and their releasement from
the custody of the Agent of this Bureau at Mt Sterling
by one Judge Apperson.

I am, very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

Levi F. Burnett.

Brnt J. R. L. & A. A. A. Genl.

March 7
Bureau of Land
Head Qro Sub Dir Ky
Louisville Ky June 1. 1866

Eli.

Burnett Genl F
Lt & Rec & a a a a a.

Encloses Copy of Circular No 2.
directs certified copies of same
to be forwarded to Supts of
Genl Sub Dist with instructions
to furnish copies to Teachers
of all Colored Schools in their
District in order that information
contained in reports of Teachers
may be included Monthly Report
of each Supt. Instructed if
such information has not been
obtained for May to direct
Dist Supts to make a supplementary
report to be consolidated and
forwarded to Head Qro Sub
Dir Ky.

Received

Rec'd S D. June 2. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

HEAD-QUARTERS, SUB-DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. June 1st 1866.

Post Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel,

I am directed by Post Brig Genl John Bly Chief Supt &c Sub-Dist of Kentucky, to enclose herewith copy of Bureau No 2 from these Head Qrs dated May 25th 1866.

You are directed to cause certified copies of this Bureau to be made and forwarded to the Supt of each District in your Sub-Dist, with instructions to furnish copies to the teachers of all colored schools in their District, so that the information contained in the reports of colored teachers, may be included in the Monthly Reports required to be made by each Superintendent, to your Office.

If this information has not been already obtained, for the month of May 1866, you are instructed to direct the Superintendents in your Sub-Dist to make a supplementary report (so far as relates to this matter) which you will consolidate and forward to these Head Qrs, but do not delay your regular report for May, for this purpose.

I am, very respectfully

Your obedient servant, (over)

Levi F. Burnett
Lieut V. R. L. at A. A. A. Genl

NARA 1A
G. R. F + A L.

Ma Qm 1st Div

Dunville Im 2nd 1866.

Bourne H R

Capt Rec. Lupt.

Requests supply of Blanks
for preparing Soldier's
Claims.

Recd L & D L 3 1866

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., June 2^d 1866.

Captain James H. Rice W. R. R.

Act Asst Adjt General.

Captain

I have the honor to request that you furnish this office with a supply of Blanks No. 5 required in the presentation of Soldiers Claims. Also an additional supply of all Blanks yet furnished for that purpose.

Very respectfully

Your obedient servant

W. R. Brown

Capt. W. R. R.

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Bureau Refugee No AL
Assistant Commissioner Office
Louisville Ky June 2/66

~~James Davis~~
Burnett Levi J.
LVRC & A.A.G.

Is directed by Port Maj
Gen Jeff. C Davis Asst Comm^r
State of Ky to acknowledge receipt
of a number of Vouchers for pay-
ment of employees in the Dep Int-
Dist. and States that arrangements
are being made to obtain money
to pay said Vouchers.

It is thought the funds
will be obtained about the 15th of
current month.

Recd L S A June 13 66

NADA 13
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., June 2^d. 1866.

Br. Col. R. S. Johnston
Chief Super. Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Br. Maj. Gen. Jeff L. Davis, Assistant
Commissioner State of Kentucky, to acknowledge receipt of a
number of vouchers for payment of employees in your Sub-Dist.
and to inform you that arrangements are being made
for the purpose of obtaining funds, with a view of
paying said vouchers.

It is thought that the funds can be obtained by
about the 15th of this month.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Levi F. Burnett.

Br. S. R. b. A. A. A. Genl.

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Ad for 7th Dist
Cancelled by June 3. 1866.

Grumley a 26.
Sept.

Requests Supply of Blank
Q M Form No 22, and
Quarterly Reports.

Recd 4 1/2 D In 5. 1866.

June 6 1866

Bureau Refuges Freedmen & Abandoned Lands
7th Dist Lexington Sub Dist

Charleston S.C.
June 3rd 1865

To Col R. C. Johnston U.S.A.
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub Dist

Colonel

Please send
me Planks No 22 Quartermaster Dept and Black
Quarterly Reports my report of this month will be
corrected

Very Respectfully
Yours Abelt Scott

A. H. Brownlee

Supt

7th Dist Lexington
Sub Dist

F. 115. 1866

Asst. Commissioners Office
Nashville Tenn. June 4th 1866.

Fisk C.B. Bt. Maj Genl,
Asst Com

Capt. G. W. Marshall C.G. M.
transmits to Capt. Jas. H. Rice. Chief Supt.
Lex. Sub. Dist. the following checks on
1st Nat Bank of Nashville - viz -

No 84	to pay J. W. Kohlhaas for	\$42.50
85	" R. S. King "	" 43.75
87	" C. H. Tolbert "	" 20.50
88	" W. S. Goodloe "	" 11.70
89	" W. S. Goodloe "	" 40.00

3 enclosures

Recd Sub. Dist. Ky Louisville June 5th 1866

Butler Refuges for A. Land
Lead In Sub. Dist of Ky
Louisville June 5th 1866.

Respectfully forwarded to Bt. Maj
Genl R. S. Johnston. Chief Supt. &c
Lexington Ky, who will acknowledge
receipt thereof for the

By Order of Bt. Maj Genl John Ely
Chief Supt. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Levi F. Burnett.

End
320. lcl

June 6th

Recd June 6th 1866.

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BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

States of Kentucky and Tennessee.

Assistant Commissioner's Office,

Nashville, Tenn.,

June 4th 1866

Capt Jas A. Rice
Capt Lee Sub Dist

Captain

Enclosed find

Checks nos. 84 for \$94.⁵⁰, 85 for \$93.⁷⁵, 86 for \$40.⁰⁰ 87 & 88.
for \$20.⁰⁰ & \$11.⁴⁰ in payment of the claims of H. W. Kohlhaas
A. H. King. W. A. Lindsay. Civil & Calcutt & W. C. Goodloe
forwarded by you. Please acknowledge the receipt
of the same.

Very Respy
Yours Obedt servt
G. W. Marshall
Capt & A. M.

B R F + a L
Ma Qm 4 D 10 1/2
Mr Gentry 14 June 5 1866.

Howard H. L.
Sept 4 D 10 1/2.

Requests supply of
Blank forms no 22.

12 Bells sent
June 7th

Recd L Y D June 6 1866.

6	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
8	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
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20	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
22	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
24	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
26	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
28	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
30	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
32	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
34	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
36	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
38	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
40	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
42	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
44	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
46	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
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64	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
66	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
68	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
70	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
72	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
74	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
76	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
78	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
80	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
82	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
84	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
86	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
88	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
90	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
92	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
94	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
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Bureau Refuges H. & A. L.
 Head 2nd 4th District Lix Sub Dist
 Mount Sterling Ky
 Jan 5th 1886

Adjutant Gen James M. Rice

Dear Sir

I have the honor to
 request that you send me blanks of form
 No 22.

Respectfully

Your obt. serv

H. C. Morrand
 Supt

J. 15. 1866

N^o 200 Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington June 5th 1866

Johnston R. E. Lt. Col.
Chief Supt.

Ask that a lawyer be
employed to defend J. H. Read, S^o
Dist. Sec. Sub. Dist. in the case of
Solomon Smith vs. J. H. Read, as
Col. Bristow refuses to defend him
unless ordered to do so by some
Dept. Commander. Col. Bristow
U.S. Dist. Atty. states that the Revenue
has no legal right to levy & sell,
and the U.S. Dist. Judge will so
decide, also that it is not expedient
to bring the case on at present.

Recd Sub Dist R Louisville June 6th 1866

Bureau Washington Fed U. Lands
Head Sub-Dist Ky.
Louisville June 6th 1866

Respectfully returned to Post
Col. R. E. Johnston Chief Supt
Lexington Ky for a cer-
tified copy of all the pro-
ceedings in this case from
its commencement.

The papers referred to are
necessary to accompany this
application.

By Order of Court Clerk and John S.
Chief Supt Sub-Dist Ky.
Levi F. Burnett.

End
338. M. L. Sent R. R. to A. A. U. Paul.

June 6th
Recd June 6th 1866.

Bureau Refugees F & A Lands
Head Qrs Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington Ky June 5th 1866.

Port Brig Genl John Elg
Chf Supt Sub Dist Ky
Louisville Ky
General.

I have the honor to inform you
that the Case of Jonathan Smith against
J H Reed Supt & Dist and others is entered
in the U. S. Circuit Court, and will
probably soon be called ^{up} for trial.

I have the honor to request you to obtain
some Lawyer to defend the action against
Reed as Col Bristol U. S. District Attorney
has declined doing so unless ordered
by the head of some department. He
also states that he believes the Bureau
has no legal right to levy and sell, and

the Judge of the U S Circuit Court will
so decide if the case is brought before him.
He also states that he does not believe it
expedient for the Government to force the
case to trial at this time.

In view of these facts, I respectfully
suggest some Attorney be employed, if
not to defend the case, to at least take
the necessary steps for a continuance
until fall.

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

C. P. Johnston

Lieut Col Vet Res Corps

Br Col 48th Inf Capt Lexington Ky.

J 16. 1866

N^o 2nd Lex. Sub Dist
Lexington Ky June 5 1866

Johnston R.E. Lt Col.
Chief Supt.

Asks permission to
employ a col^d boy as
messenger at N^o 2nd Sub
Dist Ky, at \$10⁻ pr month

Recd Sub Dist Ky Louisville June 6th 1866

Bureau Refugees For U. S. Funds
Asst Com^{rs} Office State of Ky.
Louisville June 20th 1866.

Respectfully returned to Col
Col. R. E. Johnston Chief Supt
Lexington Ky. Approved,
provided that Col Johnston
can pay the Messenger boy
from funds accruing in his
sub-Dist, in addition to the
other necessary expenses of
his Office.

By Order of Genl Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Com^{rs} State of Ky.

John Ely

Brig Genl U. S. A. Chief Supt
June 4 23 1866

Recd Sub Dist Ky June 21st 1866

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Orlean Refugee Insurre and O.S.
Head Quarters Lexington Sub-District
Lexington Ky. June 5th 1866.

Capt. W.H. Orms.
Adj Genl Art Comd. 10
Nashville Tenn.

Captain:

I have the honor to request
that authority be granted me to employ a colored boy,
as messenger for this Office at \$10.⁰⁰ per month
to be paid by the U.S. Government. As troops being under
my command, it is impossible for me to get along
without some one to act in that capacity.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

P. E. Johnston

St. Rob. Art. Res. Corps.

Post Robt & Art. Capt. Lexington Sub-District

George Town Ky
June 6. 1866.

Finnell. P. N
Agt Scott Co.

Report of Number of Schools
attendance &c for May 1866.

Reed L. G. June 7. 1866.

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Grossdown Ky June 1st 1866

Col

In reply to your letter concerning the education of Children, the Number of ~~of~~ Teachers of which you require a report for the month of May 1866 - I will state that we have not established any Schools yet, except Sunday Schools - We are trying to purchase a house and lot for the purpose, will try and be in operation by the first or middle of next month, until then cannot make a report. Please inform me, in apprenticing Children out, what you exact of the man in money after the apprenticeship expires? as I do not intend having them turned out without some Compensation for their services after the time expires.

Any information you can give me from time to time that will further the Cause we are engaged in, will be gladly received and placed under obligations to you.

I am Col Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt

Col P. E. Johnson
Breeth Col U. S. V. & Chf
Supt Lex, at Dist

J. N. Himmell agt
Sub Dist Lexington Ky
at Georgetown Scott Co Ky

B. R. F. & A. L.

Nd Qm 2^d Dist

Nicholasville Ky June 6. 1866

Recd Am. F.

Supat.

Forwards Schone Repair
for May 1866.

Recd L. G. D June 7. 1866.

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Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Nicholasville Ky
June 16/66

Dist May, Jas. H. Rice
A. A. A. Dept
Lex. Sub. Dist
Lex. Ky

Sir,

In compliance with
Circular No. 6, Hdq's. Lex. Sub. Dist, dated
June 4/66. I have the honor to submit the
enclosed report for the month of May, 1866.

Very Respy

Your Obedt Servt

J. H. Rice

Supt Bureau R. F. & A. L.
2nd Dist. Lex. Sub. Dist

Nicholasville Ky
June 6. 1866.

Rice Thm F.
Lupt 2^d Dist

Forwards Report called
for by Special Order No 22
Lut District.

Recd L. G. D. June 7. 1866.

Ancholasville Ky
June 6/88
Bot May Jas H Rice
U. A. A. Gen'l
Lex. Sub. Dist
Lex. Ky

Sir, I have the honor
to forward through your office the en-
closed report, called for by special order
No. 22. Hodg's Sub Dist Kentucky.

Very Respy

Your Obedt Servt
W. H. Rice
Sup't. Bureau R. L. & L
Ind Dist Lex. Sub Dist
Ancholasville

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Pg. R F & A L

Supts Office 10th Dist

Mayorsville June 7. 1866.

June 6. J.
Supt

Forward School Report
for May 1866.

Recd L. G. D June 9th 1866

Bureau R. F. 2d A.L.
Supts. Office 10th Dist.
Maysville, Ky. June 7. 1866

Rev. Messrs. J. N. Rice A. A. S. S.
Lexington Sub. Dist.

Major-

In compliance with Circular No. 6 Bureau
R. F. 2d A.L. Head Qu. Lex. Sub. Dist. Ky. Lexington,
Ky. June 4 "1866, I have the honor to make the fol-
lowing report of the average daily attendants of the
Freedmen's School in this District. It is impossible to
give the average cash per scholar at present, as
the teachers have not yet been directed to make such
report.

School No 1.	Washington Ky.	26	Scholars
"	" 2	"	"
"	" 1	57	"
"	" 2	"	"
		43	
Total		140	

Very Respectfully
C. J. Jones
Supt.

Louisville Ky
June 7. 1866.

Civil and Calver.

Acknowledge receipt of
Check for \$20 ⁵⁰ or 1⁰⁰
Nat Bank Nashville Ten.

Recd L & D July 1866.



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Louisville Ky

Jan 7 1866
Lt Col R E Johnson
Supt Leg^t Sub Dist

Sir
Yours with \$20 ⁵⁰, check
on 1st Nat BK, Newburgh Tenn
is recd in full for ag-
of stationing or of may be
shall be pleased to execute
any orders for Books or Stationing

Very truly

Orville T Cabell

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GIVEN R F + a L
Nd Qm for Liberty
Louisville June 7. 1866.

Eliz John Bt, Brig Gen.
Thos Barnett Lt Lt. a a a. g.

Writes attention to letter from
his Nd Qm May 18./66, relative to
report of Deaf Dumb &c

Recd L. G. D. In 8. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

HEAD-QUARTERS, SUB-DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. June 7th 1866.

Brig Genl R. B. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brig Genl John Bly Chief Supt &c Sub-Dist of Kentucky, to invite your attention to a letter from these Head Qrs dated May 18th 1866, relative to a report of the number of destitute Refugees & Freedmen who are blind, dumb, or deaf & dumb, in your Dist.

You are directed to forward to these Head Qrs the report referred to, with as little delay as possible.

I am, very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

Levi F. Burnett,

Lieut & R. b. & A. A. A. Genl.

**Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,
States of Kentucky and Tennessee:**

CHIEF SURGEON'S OFFICE,

NASHVILLE, TENN., April 6, 1866.

SIR:

The Assistant Commissioner requests that you will promptly report to this office the number of *destitute Refugees* in your Sub-District or Superintendency who are *deaf, blind, dumb, or deaf and dumb*, classifying them into *adult males and females and male and female children*.

A similar report will, at the same time, be made of *Freedmen*.

The above information is called for by Maj. General O. O. Howard, Commissioner, Washington, D. C.

I am, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

A. C. Smartzovelder

Surgeon U. S. Vols.,
Chief Surgeon Kentucky and Tennessee.

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Bmc. R F + a L
Ad Geo Gar D. 10th
Louisville June 7. 1866.

Ely John D. D. 10th
Thos Darnett Levi R. a a a a.

Informant that the Apt Com
instructs that the number of
Clubs be reduced after June 30/66.

Recd L & D In 1866

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BUREAU REFUGEES. FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS.

HEAD-QUARTERS. SUB-DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

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Louisville. Ky. June 7th 1866.

Brig Gen R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel,

I am directed by Brig Genl John Ely Chief Supt
&c Sub-Dist of Kentucky, to inform you that instructions have
been received from the Assistant Commissioner &c States of Ky
&c Tenn. to reduce the number of clerks in this State,
to one in the Office of the Chief Supt of each of the three
Sub-Districts, which will go into effect about the last
of this month.

You are therefore instructed to have the records of
your Office completed up to date, so as to enable you
to keep up your business with one clerk.

The change will not be made without further
orders from these Head Quarters.

I am, very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

Levi F. Burnett,

Lieut. &c. &c. A. A. A. Genl.

Head Qrs 9th Dist. Lexington
Sub Dist Dist City.
Lexington Ky. June 7th 1866

Chas W. Ingham
Lieut Col 1st Regt

Forwards School Report
for month of May 1866

Recd L. S. D Jun 8. 1866.

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Bureau R. F. & L

Head Qrs 9th Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky. June 7th 1866

Prof. Major J. W. Hill

A. A. & S.

Sir

I have the honor to
forward herewith School Report for month
of May 1866. Agreeable to Circular No. 2
Head Qrs Sub Dist Ky.

I am Sir

Very respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. M. Graham

Lt Col 1st Regt

18 June 2 1/2 + a 1/2
Office Sept 7 Dist
Carrington June 8. 1866.

18 June a 1/2.
Sept.

Wanted some Blank C. W.
form No 22. Desires to
know where to get them

Recd L Y D June 10 1866.

Bureau Register & V. C. I. (under)
 District Inspector Dist. Dist.

(under) by June 1866

R. C. Johnston & Co. of
 Chief Supt. Inspector Dist. Dist.

Colonel

I want some

Blank 10, 20 & 30, Sept 20 I got them from you or
 send direct to Capt Marshall through your office

Very Respectfully,

your Obedt. Servt,

A. H. Brownell

Sept 21/66

NARR 45
Nav Department

Duren R F + A L

Claim Division

Washington DC June 8. 1866.

Howard
by Mr Fowler
a a gene

Official Copy furnished
by Chf Supt Dist Ky calling
attention to certain forms
for preparation of Soldier's
Claims having no power of
attorney attached.

Recd L. G. D. June 18. 1866

War Department
 Bureau of P. & A. S.
 Claims Division

Washington June 8th 1868

Major Genl. J. B. Hawley
 115th Conn. B. & A. S.
 Fort of Kentucky
 Louisville Ky

General:

I am instructed by Major Genl. O. B. Howard
 Commissioner &c. to invite your attention to the fact that the
 following described forms used in claims of heirs of deceased
 col^d soldiers furnished from this office, embody no Power
 of Attorney. Numerous cases have been received at this
 office in Power of atty, accompanying. The adjustment of
 these claims is greatly delayed by this inadvertence,
 rather Applications for arrears of pay & bounty

Mothers	"	"	"
Widows	"	"	"
Orphan's	"	"	"

I am General Very Respectfully
 Your Obedient servant
 (Signed) J. B. Hawley

A. A. G.

Official Copy respectfully furnished for information and guidance
 of Asst Col R. S. Johnston Chief Supt Lexington Sub-Dist 2, who will
 cause copies to be furnished to all Supts under his command,
 By Order of Asst Maj Gen Jeff L. Davis
 and Comm'r State of N.

John Ely
 Asst Brig Gen U. S. A.
 Chief Supt

Bureau D. F. & A. Service
 Capt. Office 4th Dist D. F. & A.
 Mt Sterling Ky Jan 8th, 1866

Howard H. C.
 Capt. 4th Dist

Transmits Vouchers for
 Services rendered by John
 J. Evans Agent Montgomery
 County Ky

(2 Enclosures)

11th

Recd L. S. D. Jan 11. 1866

Bureau R. F. & A. L.

Ad. 2nd 4th Dist Lex sup Dist

Attesting Ky June 9th 1866

James M. Rice

Dist Atty & A. L. Gen

Dear Sir

I have the honor to
transmit herewith vouchers for services rendered by
John L. Evans Agent for the County of Montgomery

Respectfully

J. C. Howard

Supt-

NABA 50
Given R F & A L

2^d Dist L. G. D.

Nicholasville June 9. 1866.

Recd Am. F.

Sept 2. Dist

Forwards receipt for check
No 86 on 1st Nat Bk Nashville TN
for \$97⁵⁰ payable to his order.

Recd L. G. D. June 10. 1866.

NARA 51
Bureau Refuges F & A Lands
2nd Dist L. S. D.
Nicholasville June 9/66

But Maj. Jas. B. Ricci
A. G. A. Genl
Lex. Sub. Dist
Lexington

Sir,

I have the
honor to forward through your office,
to S. W. Marshall Capt. & G. L. M. the enclosed
acknowledgement of the receipt of check
for \$86 on 1st Nat. Bk Wash, D.C. for
\$97.50 payable to my order

Very Respy
Yours Obedt Servt
Wm F. Ricci
Supt Bureau R. F. & A. L.
2nd Dist. L. S. D.

1 Bureau R. F. & L. A. L.
Supts. Office 10th Dist L. S. A.
Mayoville Ky. June 9th 1866

True C. J.
Supt 10th Dist

Requests For (4) Copies
Manual of Instructions

Recd L. S. A. June 11th 1866.

Bureau Refugees, F. and A. Lands
Supts. Office 10th Dist. L. I. D.
Maysonville, Ky. June 9th 1866

Dist. Maj. J. N. Rice A. I. A. G.
Lexington, Ky.

Majon-

I have the honor to request that you
forward to me at your earliest convenience, four (4)
copies of the Manual of Instructions, Bureau R. F. and
A. L., for the Agents in my district.

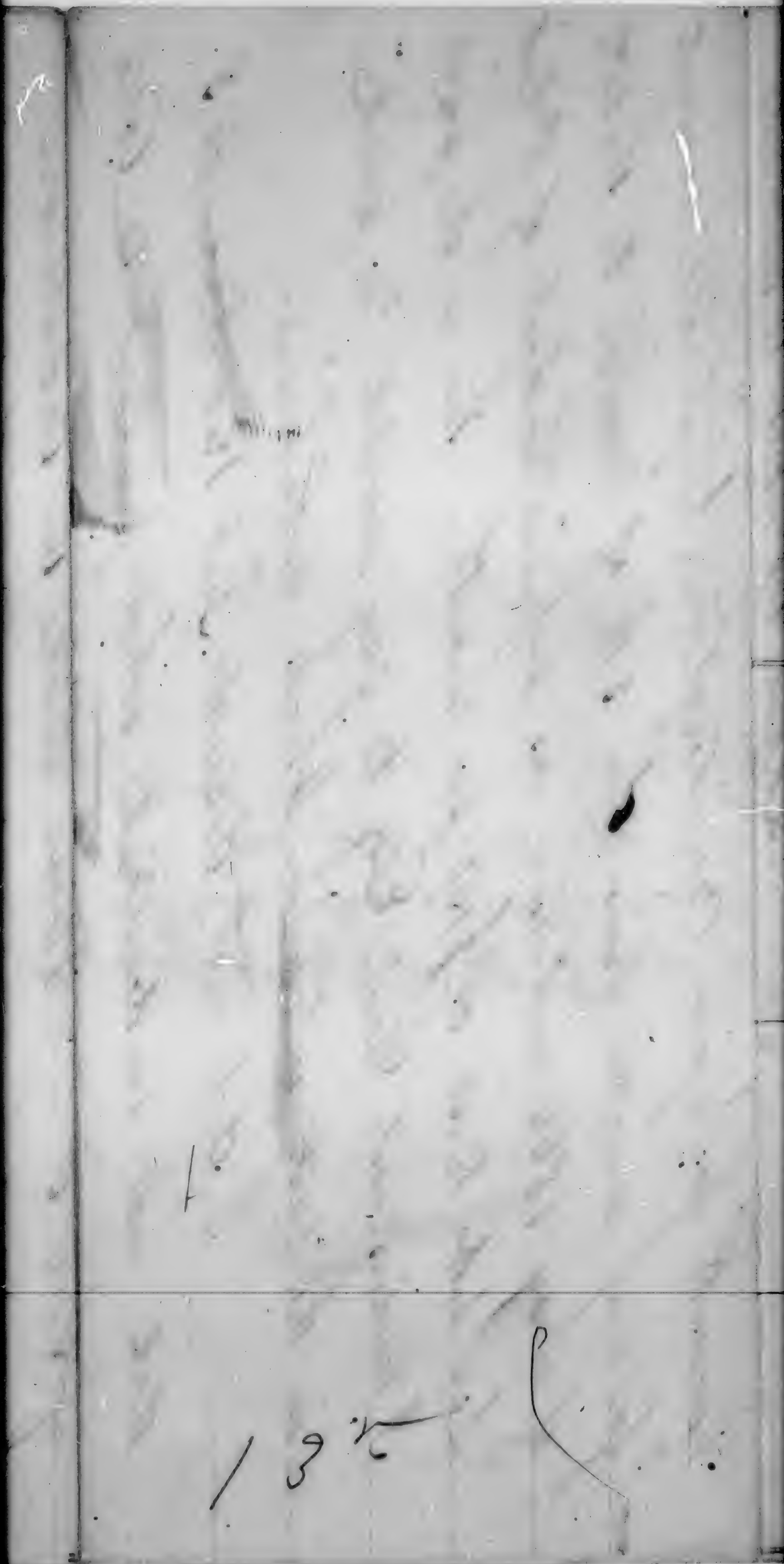
Very Respectfully Yours
C. J. True
Supt. 10th Dist

Given R F & A L
Supt Office 3rd Dist
Manchester N H Jan 11. 1866

Gist G. H.
Supt 3 Dist

Transmits his account
for services from 5th March
to 31st May 1866, inclusive
at \$150⁰⁰ per month.

Recd L. G. D Jan 13. 1866.



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Warren Refuges, Freedmen & A Lands
Office Supt 3^d Dist Lex Sub Dist
Winchester Ky Jan 11th 1866

Capt James H Rice
a a a Gent
Lexington Ky
Sir

I have the honor to transmit
herewith for your consideration triplicate accounts
for my services from the 5th of March to the 31st
of May 1866 inclusive as superintendent of 3^d Dist
Lex Sub Dist at \$150 per month. This is the price
I understood Genl Ely to say would be paid
in the last interview I had with him.

I did not deduct Int Rev Tax as I
did not understand what per Cent to take
from it — Please make the deduction
and forward at your earliest convenience

I am very respectfully,
your obt servt
G W Gert
Supt

1 Bureau B. F. and A. L. L. L.
Supt's Office 11th Dist L. S. D.
Sharpsburg, Md. June 11th 1866

Overly, J. J.
Supt 11th Dist

Report of Deaf Dumb
& Blind. Refugee & Freedmen
who are desolate. for
May 1866.

Recd L. S. D. June 13-66

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Bureau R. J. and A. Sands,
Supts Office 15th Dist D. S. C.
Sharpsburg. Md. June 11th 1866.

Port. Maj. J. M. Rice
Actg. Secy. Supt. Insp. Sub.
At Ocs Bureau R. J. and A. Sands
Lexington Sub District
Lexington Kentucky
Major

I have the honor
to state that there are no destitute Refugees or
freedmen, adult male or female, female or male
children that are deaf, blind, dumb, or deaf and
dumb, in this District.

This information I did not get at an earlier
date or should have forwarded as required

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

J. J. Conley
Supt 15th District

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist L. S. D.
Cynthiana Ky June 11th 1866

Ready, J. W.
Supt 8th Dist

Submits his account on
Form 22 for March -
April 1866.

Recd L S D In r / 66

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
Supts Office & Dist. L. S. D.
Cynthiana Ky June 11th 1866

Det Maj J. H. Rice
a. a. a. g L. S. D. }

Major

I have the honor to submit to your consideration,
My account on form 22nd for March & April.

I hope Major. you will endorse them
and urge the payment as I very much
need it.

I am Major.
your Obedt Servant
J. W. Read
Supt

Adm Gen 4th Dist

Mr Sterling N June 13. 1866

Howard H. Co.

Capt. 4th Dist

Introducing his Clerk
Mr. Boyle who desires
instruction regarding clerical
duties.

Recd L. G. D. June 13. 1866.

Bureau R. F. & A. Land

Adm 2nd Lt Dist L. S. Dist

Westerline, Ky

July 13th 1866

Adjutant Gen J. H. Rice

Dear Sir

This is introducing
to your acquaintance Mr W. W. Boyle. he is
my Clerk & visits Adm 2nd for the purpose
of seeing the "modus operandi" of the Bureau business
in the clinical department. any assistance or
instruction you can render him will be
appreciated -

Respectfully &c

H. C. Howard

Lexington Ky
June 13. 1866.

Rice James H.
Att Mas + a a geie.

Report in case of Outrages
Committed on blacks by wh. tes
in Yellman Ky.

Recd L & D Jun 13. 1866.

Lexington Ky June 13. 1866.

Br Geo R E Johnston

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist.

Lexington Ky

Sir.

I have the honor to report that in obedience to Special Order No 31 Pa II dated B R Fort L Head Quarters Lexington Sub Dist Lexington Ky June 12. 1866. I proceeded to Yellmanville Ky as directed by said order. After a careful investigation I find the facts to be as follows. On Saturday night June 9. 1866 about 9 o'clock a party of men visited the houses occupied by freedmen at Yellmanville and demanded admision claiming that they were ordered from Louisville to this place for the purpose of taking possession of all the Yankee Markets in possession of the freedmen, also such other fire arms as they might find. In one case

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they took an Enfield rifle, the property of a returned soldier
name Silas Crowder and broke it into fragments portions of which I saw.
They also attacked two freedmen by name Henry Bell & Robt Bletsoe
firing at them with pistols wounding Robt Bletsoe slightly in the
ear, about twenty five shots were fired at these persons. I
heard of no other acts of personal violence. The names of the parties
are said to be Bob Martin, Clay Taylor, Frank Martin, Chas White,
Mat White, Geo Hampton John Martin. The above named parties,
were indentified by Lucy Ann Sholes a Freed girl. Two
others by name Joe Turner & Max Delaney. are also
said to have been in the party, All of the above named
men are residents of Lexington and vicinity. What object
the parties had in view in attempting to seize all arms
in the possession of these freedmen does not appear.
but I think it is a fair inference to suppose that they
desired to have the negroes defenceless in case they should
attempt further outrages upon them

Yours Colored Very Respectfully

Your obt Servant

James H. Rix
Pr Maj 4a a a a a a

J. 27 1866
 Head Quarters Lexington Sub Dist
 R. E. Johnston
 Post box. Chief Capt. Lexington Sub Dist

Requests that Capt. Henry Jones and Lieut John Anderson
 Lieut. Res. Corps. now at their respective homes, be assigned to duty in the Lexington Sub-Dist.



Recd Dist of Ky Louisville June 16 1866

Bureau Refugees For U. Lands
 Asst Commr Office State of Ky.
 Louisville June 20 1866.

Respectfully forwarded to Maj Genl O. O. Howard; Commissioner Bureau R. For A. L. with the request that the within named Officers be ordered to report to me for duty in this State.

Yr Obedt Servt

Brig Maj Genl H. (Asst. Commr) State of Kentucky.
 Cnd 4124. 1866.

(copy) War Department
 Bureau Refugees For U. Lands
 Washington July 2 1866
 Respectfully returned to Brig Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis, Asst Commr of Ky. - The Secretary of War refuses to detail any more officers of the Vol Res Corps at

present.
 By Order of Maj Genl Howard.
 (Signed) A. O. Hetchum.
 A. A. A. Genl.
 A true copy
 Levi F. Burnett
 Lt & R. B. A. A. A. S.

Bureau Refugees For U. Lands
 Asst Commr Office, State of Ky.
 Louisville July 11 1866.
 Respectfully returned to Brig Col R. E. Johnston Chief Inspector Lexington Ky. whose attention is invited to preceding endorsement.
 By Order of Brig Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis, Asst Commr Office, State of Ky.
 Levi F. Burnett.

Brig & R. B. A. A. A. Genl.
 Cnd 568 1866.

Recd back L S & Hg 12/66.

1 Bureau Refugee Inmate ~~and~~ C. L.
Hear Quarters Lexington Sub-Dist
Lexington Ky. June 15th 1866.

Col. A. P. Ketchum
Bureau of Refugees, C. L.
War Department
Washington D.C.

Colonel:

I have the honor to respectfully request that the following named Officers of the Lab. Res. Corps, now at their respective homes, awaiting orders, be ordered to report to me for assignment to duty in this Lexington Sub-Dist:

Capt. Henry Jones Lab. Res. Corps.

2nd Lieut. John Anderson Do.

Paul. Colonel.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt. Crook

Q. S. Johnston

Det. bob. to L. L. Lt. bob. Det. Res. Corps
Chief Supt. - Lexington Sub. - Disk

Office Chf Qr Master
B. R. F + A L

Nashville Ten In 16. 1866.

Marshall G. H.
Capt Fort Mif. C M

Return Property Accounts
for May 1866 for correction.

Rec'd " G D Jan 18 1866

NARA 70
Office of Gr. Mr. B. R. F. and L.
Nashville Tenn. June 16. 1866.

Bat. Maj. Jas. H. Rice

Chief Supt.

Lexington Sub Dist.

Major.

I have the honor to
acknowledge the Receipt of Your Property Accounts
for the Month of May 1866, which please find
herewith enclosed returned for correction

On one copy of the return You report 'On Hand'
1 Pencil Sharpener and one the second copy You account
for 2. In accordance with Your April Return You
are accountable for 2 Pencil Sharpener.

Abstract I must accompany the Return even
if You have but one Voucher for the Abstract.

Herewith enclosed You will find a set of Blankforms
N. 38, Voucher for Abstract I, which please fill out
and return with Abstract.

Abstract I (N. 37) Can not be entered upon
the return in the Column of Abstract I, but must
be entered in its own column.

72
The Letter Paper Received and expended on the Return
shows only $1\frac{1}{2}$ Guineas Received ~~expended~~ instead of
 $1\frac{1}{2}$ Pounds.

Please correct Your Accounts as above stated
and forward as early as practicable to the Office

Very Respectfully
Your obed^t serv^t

G W Marshall

Capt^d and Bt Major

Chf Qr. Mstr. B. R. F. & Ad.

No. 20. Dist of Ky.
Louisville Ky. June 18th 1866

~~James~~
Esq. Post Offg Genl for the
Chief Capt. Genl. Dist of Ky.

Directo to make a consolidated
return to be made of public
property belonging to this
Division. such as Office
Furniture, Stationery &c. in
possession of the Capt. Esq.
&c. in the Louisville Sub. Dist.
This return will show the amount
on hand, received expended
and amount remaining on hand
to be accounted for on next
return.

Resd Ld to June 21st 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

HEAD-QUARTERS ~~NO~~ DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY

Louisville, Ky., June 18th 1866.

Brar Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brar Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis, Assistant Commissioner of State of Kentucky, to instruct you to cause a consolidated return to be made of public property, belonging to this Bureau, such as office furniture, stationery &c, in the possession of the Supts, Agents &c. in your Sub-Dist.

This Return will show the amount on hand, received, expended, and amount remaining on hand to be accounted for on next return.

The first Return will be made on the last day of June 1866, and at the end of each month hereafter.

Property received from the Quartermasters Dept U. S. A. should be accounted for direct, by the officer accountable for it, to the Quartermaster General U. S. A. and not included in this Return.

District Superintendents can rub blanks similar to the one enclosed, as a ^{for retained} sufficient number of the printed forms cannot be obtained for this purpose.

I am, very respectfully,

NR 74
Your obedient servant,

John Ely
Brig Genl U. S. Vol.
Chief Supd &c

NARR 75
Gmren R. J. & A. L.

Adm. Secy.

Louisville Ky. Jan 18. 1866.

Dover
John Elg
Port Brigg Secy. Chf Insp.

Formals 250. Polent
Declaration for pay. Bunker

Recd L. G. D. June 19th 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., June 19th 1866.

Brig Gen R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt State Lexington Ky.
Colonel,

I am directed by Brig Gen Paul Jeff L. Davis, Asst Comm State of Kentucky, to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated June 14th 1866, applying for 300 "Declarations for areas of Bounty", and in reply to inform you that 200 of the above mentioned blanks have been mailed to your address this day, the receipt of which, please acknowledge.

Should you require more, they will be furnished you upon application to this office.

I am, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

Blundy

Brig Gen Paul H. L. Davis
Chief Supt State of Ky.

June 25 + a L
Mad Geo D. D. D.
Louisville June 18. 1866

① June
Ely John. Gt. Brig Gen
the Burnett L. D. a day.

Directs that the report of
Person Employed & Property Hired
on form No 2. Q. M. Dept for
June 1866, must embrace
all property hired, and person
Employed of each List or re

Recd L & D June 18. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

HEAD-QUARTERS ~~OF~~ DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., June 18th, 1866.

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brt Maj Gen Jeff L. Davis, Asst Secy &c State of Kentucky, to instruct you to cause a consolidated report to be made of "Persons employed in Property hired", on form No 2, Quartermasters Dept, in addition to the reports already required from your District.

This report will be made for the month of June 1866, and must embrace all property hired, and the names in full of each Superintendent (whether Army officer or civilian) Agent, and clerk, or other persons, in the employ of this Bureau in your Sub-District, and be made complete as required by the forms.

Hereafter this report will be made promptly and forwarded at the end of each month, and if the blanks are not large enough, they will be pasted together for this purpose.

The reports and returns from your office are not required to be forwarded in duplicate, as they are all consolidated at these Head Quarters. (Over)

Ms. A. 9. 2. 79
I am, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant.

John Elip
Brig Genl U. S. Arb.
Chief Supt &c.

31 1866

H^d Quarters Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington Ky
June 18th 1866.

Union R. E. to Col. use
Chief Supt.

Inform Col. Frederick
Jefferson Co. that Ray Davis
complains that he has been to Louisville
twice to get \$2225 which he gave George
Carter, Col^d who lives on 10th St. in
this square. Ray Davis, Louisville, to
deposited for him in Savings Bank
but has failed to get it. Carter telling
him some time the bank was closed.

Recd Dist of Ky Louisville June 19th 1866

Bureau Refugee and U. S. Lands
Head Qrs District of Ky.
Louisville June 19th 1866.

Respectfully forwarded to
Lt Col B. H. Frederick Super^{ve}
Jefferson Co Ky. for investigation and
report -

Upon enquiring at the
Freedmen Savings Bank in this
city, it was ascertained that
neither of the parties have
any money in that Bank.
George Carter had some but
has withdrawn it from the
Bank.

This paper to be returned with
report.

By Order of Brig Maj Gen Jeff. B. Davis
Asst Commr State of Ky.

John Ely

Brig Brig Genl U. S. A.
Chief Super^{ve}

Enc 415.7166

Bureau R. E. and U. S.
Office Supt. Jefferson Co. Ky.
Louisville 22nd June 1866.

Respectfully returned to Major
Gen. S. P. Jones, Dir. of Dept
and Asst. Commr Ky. with the informa-
tion that the within named George
Carter passed here left this city and
is reported by his neighbors to have
moved to Indianapolis Ind.

Carter drew the last of his funds
from the Bank seventy (70) dollars
on the 11th Feb. 1866.

C. N. Frederick.

Lt. Colonel 5th Regt. Independent.

MA 9.26.9
Recd back Ant Comm Office 13 June 22nd 1866.

Bureau Refugees For A. Lands
Citizens Office State of Ky.
Louisville June 22nd 1866.

Respectfully returned to Brig
Col R. S. Johnston Chief Super
Lexington Ky. whose attention
is invited to the endorsement
of Brig Col. L. H. Frederick Super
Jefferson Co Ky.

By Order of Brig Genl John Bly
Chief Super State of Ky.

Levi F. Burnett,

Print A. R. L. & A. A. A. Genl.

Vol 44, 1866

^{back}
Recd L L D. June 25 66

James Refugee Bureau No. 100
Head Quarters Lexington Sub-Dist
Lexington Ky. June 18th 1860

Lieut Genl J. Sumrell.
Wm Fair Sub-Dist of Ky.
Louisville Ky.
Lieut:

I have the honor to
submit the following case for reference to Lf. Col.
Frederick. Supt. Bureau R. L. O. L. for Jefferson
County:

1 Day. Turner (Colo), complains that he gave
to George Carter (Colo), who lives on Jefferson
St. Three square jump depot in Louisville
\$333.⁰⁰ to deposit in George's Bank. He further
says that he has twice been to Louisville to
get the money, but failed to do so, as Carter
told Turner the Bank was not open to
trans. It may be that Carter has not

deposited the money, but has otherwise appropriated
it.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obit Croft

R. J. Johnston

Det Col US A. Lt Col. Det Res Corps
Chf Capt - Lexington Sub - Dist

F 155. 1866

Asst Commissioners Office

Nashville Tenn June 20. 1866
June 1

Trick C.B. Keith's Genl. and Com
John Ogden by
Capt. Freedmen's School

Returns Col. Hamilton
letter of June 13th 1866 with
his answer stating that the
Freedmen's Commission be
applied to for help.

Recd H. H. Smith & Co. Louisville Ky. 21. 1866

Wm. D.

Asst. Comm.

Respectfully
Col. R. E. John
Lexington Ky
invited to attend
from Prof. J. O.
of the edition
on the staff
State of Tenn
By Order of B.
W. H. H.

End 430. 1866

Recd H. H.

I have recommended that
this Association leave the expense
of the Agent at Dorchester. Let ap-
plication be made to that effect
at once. Let as large an amount
as possible be raised at once
by the colored people themselves.

I know of no other means at
present, by which these schools can
be sustained; and do not see
why they may not believe them.

Truly Yours
John Ogden
Supt. Ed. & F. S. of Mass.

Seizures for A. Land
Office State of Ky.
Louisville June 22 1866.

returned to Port
upon Chief Supra
whose attention is
to within letter
for Ogden Chief
ational department
of the Art Com.

to Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
in the State of Ky

John S. Ly

Brig Genl U. S. A.
Chief Supra

June 20 66

Jan 22
1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
STATES OF KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE.

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Nashville, Tenn., June 20. 1866

R. S. Johnson
Chf. Supt. Col. Dist.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 13th calling my attention to the condition of things at Lexington, in reference to Freedmen's Schools is received. I am, by the recent change made in the Dist. of Ky. & Tenn. relieved from any official duty in either State. I was just completing a State plan for the management of Freedmen's Schools in Ky, when this change was made. Which plan, was with a few alterations the same as the Colored Bd. of Lexington adopted. This Bd. has the matter of raising ^{and the employing of} ~~the~~ funds, entirely in its own hands. It may however apply to any of the Freedmen's Aid Coms. for help. I would recommend that it apply to the Amer. Mission Assn. - C. in. Rev E. P. Smith, Secy.

Nicholasville Ky.
June 31st 1866

Rev. W. L.

Supt. 2^d Dist.

Requests the issue
of orders for transportation
covering the journeys
to different places in
his district.

Respectfully
Yours
W. L.

1868 89
Bureau Refugees F. V. A. Lands
Supt's Office 2nd Dist. L. S. D.
Nicholasville Ky

June 21/68

But Maj. Jas. H. Rice

A. A. A. Genl

Lex. Sub. Dist

Lovington Ky

Sir:

I have the honor to request the issue of orders from your office, for transportation, covering the following journeys. June 1st

June 1st to Camp Nelson.

June 3rd " Keene "

June 4th " Brooklyn "

June 7th " Pekin "

June 11th " Camp Nelson

June 14th " Lancaster

June 17th " Keene

June 18th " Bryantsville

I certify that these journeys were necessary for the benefit of the Freedmen in my dist. by way of establishing schools and enquiring into their general

Condition

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt
Wm. R. Rie
Supt. Bureau R. F. & A. L.
2nd Dist. L. S. D.

Asst Commr Office
Louisville Ky June 23, 1886

Draws Dot May Seed \$6.
by Dot Drug Seed Man Ely
Chf Capt de

Transmits Checks on Geo Smith
National Bank of New York
in payment of \$6 Honor
P. J. Goerley, Andrew P.
Laird, Robt S. Mitchell
P. J. Hardesty & Co. and
Laird & Co.

Recd \$6. June 23, 1886.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., June 22^d, 1866.

Brig Gen R. B. Johnston
Chief Dept & Lexington, Ky.

Colonel

I am directed by Brig Maj Gen Jeff L. Davis
Assistant Commissioner of State of Ky, to enclose herewith checks
on the South National Bank of New York in payment of the
following named persons in your Sub-District.

H. C. Howard No 19	\$ 260.49
P. J. Overly .. 20	80.13
Andrew P. Laird .. 21	6.75
Robt. S. Mitchell .. 22	97.50
B. E. Herdesty & Co .. 30	20.00
Lewis Stone .. 31	15.00

You will please acknowledge receipt.

I am, very respectfully

Your obedient servant,

John S. ...

Brig Gen R. B. Johnston

Chief Dept & Lexington, Ky.

1800. 2nd. 4th Dist
Mt Sterling Ky June 24th 66

Howard L.H.
Sept.

Requests to be furnished
with some Jones to
20. 3 2 20.

Rec'd L.H. - June 26 to 6

Bureau B. L. and A. Lands,
HD. QRS. 4TH DIST.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky., *June 24th* 186*6*.

Brvt Lt Col J. H. Rice
U. S. A.
Lexington Ky Col.

I have the honor
to request that you will have furnished me at the
earliest moment that you can, the following forms.

(viz)

(1) One Quin Form No 22.

(1/2) Half " " " 20.

(1/2) Half " " " 23.

The Forms No 22 & 23 if possible I would
like to have by Monday eve, (25th inst.)

I am Dear

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

H. C. Howard

Supt 4th Dist S. L. D.

MAR 95
War Department

B. R. F & A Lands

Washington DC Dec 23/66

Howard Maj Gen O O.
by Brown J. M. Br Mef +
Chf C M.

States that Propaty accounts
pertaining to B. R. F & A L
for Dec have been recd +
Examined + sent to 3^d
Auditor for final Examination
and Settlement.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

Washington, D. C., June 25th 1866.

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston
Lieut Col. V. R. E.
Chief Supt. Bu: R. F. A. L.
Lexington
Ky

Sir:—
Your Property accounts "Stores pertaining to the Bureau of
Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands" for the month of
June, 1866, have been received, examined and forwarded to Third
Auditor of the Treasury for final examination and settlement.

By order of

Maj. Gen. O. O. Howard, Commissioner,

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,


Captain and Assistant Quartermaster,
Br. Major & Chief Clerk
Bureau R. F. A. L.

NARA 97
Burren N F Ma A Lands
Recd Qr 1st Dist L. S. D.
Dunvilley June 26. 1866.

Bourne N N, Capt MC
Sept 1st Dist

Forwarded Bills of Purchases
from May 18th to June 30/66.

Recd L S D June 27/66.

NARA 98

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., June 26th 1866.

Reverend Major James H. Rice

Act. Asst. Adj't. Genl.

Major.

I have the honor
to forward herewith bills of purchase made
in this District from May 18th to June 3rd 1866.
I have stationery enough to last during the
month of July. without further purchases.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

W.R. Rame

Capt. N.R. Co. Asst. Sec.

NARA 99
B. R. F. & A. L.
Lex Sub Dist of Ky
Georgetown Scott Co
June 26/86

Finnell J. N.

agt.

B R F & A L.

Transmits a/c^{re} of
expenditures in the
month of June 1886.—

Rec^d H. L. 2^d L. P. D. June 27/86

June 27 - 1886

MAILED 100
Bureau Refugees & Freed A. S. Lands
Lexington Sub Dist 18y
Georgetown Scotto 6

Capt

I herewith transmit you the act for
expenses for the present month June 1866
Enclosed you will find them

I am Capt
Your Obedt Servt

Capt J. H. Rice
A. a a Genl

J. N. Finnell apt
for Scotto Co 18y

B. R. Freed A. S.
Lexington 18y

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Office Sept 3rd Dist
Winchester Ky June 26/66

Gish Geo H.
Capt.

Has sent Circular No 8
to his Agents in Orissa and
Coastal Co., but has recd
no report from them.

Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A Land
Office Supt 3d Dist Lex Sub Dist
Winchester Ky Jan 26/1866

Brvt Col B E Johnson
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky
Sir

Upon receipt of
Circular No 8 of Jan 19th 1866 from Head
Quarters Lexington Sub Dist I forwarded
Copies to my agents in Esclite and
Crosley Counties directing them to forward
their Returns & Reports in time to reach
me by the 26th Inst. I have as yet
received nothing from either of them
- hence my failure to make a report
of this date as directed in Circular No 8.
If they do not reach me tomorrow
I will forward my Report & Return
without them.

I am very respectfully
your obt Servt
G Wrist
Supt

Genl R F & A L

Ad Gen 3 Sept

Winchester July 26. 1866

Genl Gen R

Sept

Transmits reports from
June 1866.

Recd L S D. June 27. 1866

NARA 104
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A Lands
Office Supt 3^d Dist Lex Sub Dist
We inshustivity June 3^d 66

1 Ont Co R E Johnson
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
Sir

I have the honor to
transmit herewith for your Consider
ation Monthly return of Gr Masters Horses
received and issued by me every
month ending 30th June 1866

Also Report of Freedmens Schools
giving No Scholar Average No of daily
attendants and Average cost pr Scholar
per month in 3^d Dist Lex Sub Dist

I am very respectfully
Yours &c
G H Gust
Supt

Bureau R. J. & C. L.
 H. J. 9th Dist. Lexington Sub Dist N.Y.
 Lexington by June 26/66

Graham Geo. L.
 Lt & Co. Capt.

Towards monthly Reports
 and vouchers for June
 1866

Recd L. S. & Co June 27/66

Bureau R. H. & A.
Head Qrs 9th Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Covington Ky. June 26th 1866

Br. Major I M Rice

A. A. A. G

Sir

I have the honor to forward
herewith the following Monthly Reports for June 1866
Monthly Report of Receipts & Expenditures

" Bureau R. H. & A. L.

" W. 2. Persons & Articles hired

together with the necessary vouchers

I am Major

very respectfully

Yours Obedient

Geo. S. Graham

Lt Col Sup.

NARA 107
Hon. R. Y. A. S. S.
Superintendent of the
Hospitals, Ky. June 20. 1866

Dr. J. H. H.
Jefferson Davis

Transmit Vouchers for
Articles purchased for
May 1866.

Recd L S D Jun 29. 1866.

Duncan H. Yell A. Davis
 Supts Office 11th. & 12th Sts.
 Washington D.C. June 26 1866

Br. & Col. J. W. Miller
 A. A. General
 Head Quarters 11th St.
 Lexington Va.
 Lexington Ky.

Colonel
 I have

The honor to acknowledge the receipt of
 your letter of the 20th inst. for the Office of
 the month of May 1866.

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt. Servt.
 J. S. Columbus
 Supt. 11th District

Wm. R. F. A. S.
Supt. Office 11th St. S.
Washington, D. C. June 26th 66

Wm. R. F.
Supt. Office 11th St.

Transmits account of J. L.
Borman Agt. and account
for services as Supt for
June 1866.

Recd L. S. D. In 24. 1866.

1 Bureau A. I. & A. S.
Supt. Office 11th St. S. S.
Hampden, Mass. June 21 1866

Charles J.
Supt. Office 11th St.

Transmits Monthly Reports
and Returns for June 1866

Recd. L. S. D. In 29/66.

Bureau of Land & A Lands
Supt's Office 11th Ave S. S. L.
Shawmut, Ky. June 26 66.

Bot. Sect. Col. J. H. Rice

A. A. A. General

No. 1 Bureau of Land & A Lands

Dedington, Ky.

Dedington, Ky.

Colonel

I have
the honor to transmit herewith the following
reports for the month ending June 30th 1866.

Report of Persons & Articles employed on
this farm 1 to 2

Monthly Return of Quarantine Station
June 23rd

Monthly Report of Bureau, Refugees,
Proclaim and Accused Slaves

Monthly Return of Receipts and
disbursements.

I am, Sir,

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. J. Crocker
Supt. 11th Ave S. S. L.

NARR 113
Given R F & A Lando
Md for Lth Dist L S D
Sharpsburg Ky June 26. 1866.

Overly. P. J.
Luph 11th Dist

Reports that he is getting
up a school - That
Small Pox is quite
prevalent will probably
have to make requisition
for Tents.

Recd L S D June 29/66

Bureau R. R. 2nd A. I. Sanders.
 Sup'ts Office 11th Dist. I. A.
 Mayfield Ky June 26 1866
 Wm. H. Col. of Office
 A. A. A. General
 Wm. H. R. R. 2nd A. I.
 Lexington Sub District
 Lexington, Ky.
 Colonel

Resending
 up my Report for the Month of May. I state
 my intention and expectation of doing a great
 amount of business, but unfortunately I took
 quite ill with a very severe cold caused from
 exposure, and could do but little, except in the way
 of settling differences between white persons and
 freedmen. A great many I have caused to be
 compensated without them going to law. Some two
 or three I've provided with medicine and medical attention.
 I have been in the last eight days rather busy
 in getting up a school, which can be a
 complete when a building can be procured.
 But they do not wish to rent buildings here for
 this purpose, at any price, and I will have some
 difficulty to get one.

The Small Pox has been spreading considerably

among the freedmen in and around
Bald Eagle and on Flat Creek in this
County. and if I cannot make provisions with
the County judge for the taken care of this class
of people, I will have to make a requisition
for tents.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt. Servt.

J. J. Crady

Sept 11th 1862

Fort Det. Michigan

Wm. R. Y. Co. A. J. Smith
Suplt. Office 11th Kent
Shawpsbury Ky June 26, 1866

Coverly J. P.
Suplt 11th Kent

Requests an order to
purchase Stationery for
use in his office for month
of July 1866.

Recd L S D June 29. 1866

Bureau of the Army

Dept. Office 11th Mass I. R.

Sharpsburg. Md. June 24 1865

Capt. W. Marshall

Capt. Quartermaster

U. S. Army

Nashville Tenn

Captain

I have

the honor to respectfully request authority
to purchase for the use of this Office the
following articles viz:

Twelve (12) Quire Paper (Folio)

Twelve (12) Quire Paper (Letter)

One hundred (100) Envelopes (Official)

One hundred (100) Envelopes (Folio)

Two hundred (200) Postage Stamps

Two (2) Pieces of Office Tape

One (1) Bottle of Camellia Oil

One (1) Bottle of Mincing

The above articles are necessary for this Office
for one month, ending on the 31st day of
July 1865.

I am Captain

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. J. Conley

Dept 11th Mass I. R. Sharpsburg Md

Bureau R. Y. C. & S. Bureau
 Supl. Office 11th Nov. 1854
 Mansfield, Ky. Jan 20 1855

Coverly J. P.
 Supl. Office 11th Nov. 1854

Bureau of the N. T. Service
 Dept. Office with Sec. S. T. D.
 Sharpsburg, Md. June 26 1856

Capt. J. H. Marshall

Capt. Quartermaster

Ad. Gen. Asst. Commr.

La. Troop, Texas

Captain

I have the honor to respectfully request on behalf of the
 for the use of this Office, the following articles
 viz:

Twelve (12) Doz. Paper (Postage)
 Ten (10) Doz. Paper (Letter)
 One hundred (100) Envelopes (Official)
 One hundred (100) Envelopes (Letter)
 Two hundred (200) Postage Stamps
 Twelve (12) of Office Paper
 One (1) Bottle of Camellia Oil
 One (1) Bottle of microscope

The above articles are necessary for the
 Office for one month, ending on the 31st
 day of July 1856.

I am Capt.
 Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt. Servt.
 J. J. Crosby
 Dept. with Sec. Sharpsburg, Md.

Baron R. Wm. A. Gaudin
Supt. Office of the Army
Washington the 20th Decr

Crosby J. J.
Supt. Office of the Army

Transmits Estimate of
Articles needed for use
of his office for Decr/66.

Recd L S D Im 29. 1866.

Bureau of Land Survey
 Supts Office near Fort S. A.
 Thompson, Ky June 26th 66

Bel S. C. (H. H. H.)

A. A. M. General

Head Quarters U. S. A. S.

Washington D. C.

Washington D. C.

Colonel

I have
 the honor to transmit herewith my estimate of
 articles needed for the Office for the Month of
 July 1866.

Very Respectfully
 Yours Obedt. Servt.
 J. J. Crowley
 Supt. U. S. A. S.

NARA 100
Bureau R. F. W. A. Lewis
Office 11th St. S. E. C.
Shenandoah, Ky. June 26th 66

Overby P. J.
June 11th 66

States that he cannot
send in his accounts for
Stationery purchased until
his Estimates is returned
approved.

Recd L. S. D. : Jun 29. 1866

Bureau R. J. M. S. J. M.
 Supts Office with Adj. S. J. A.
 Sharpsburg Ky Jan 26 1862

Bot Lt. Col. H. H. H.

A. A. A. J. M.

W. D. M. Bureau R. J. M. C. S.

Lexington Ky

Lexington, Ky.

Colonel

I cannot

send in my accounts for stationary furnished
 the month until my estimate is returned of
 funds.

Very Respect

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. J. M.

Supt with Adj.

NARA 124
Bureau R F & A. Lands
Supt Office 12th Dist L. S. D.
Greensburg Ky June 28. 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt - 12th Dist

Transmits his reports of
B R F & A L. and Return of
Receipts & Expend. for
June 1866.

Recd L. S. D. June 28/66

NARA 125
Bureau R F & AL

Superintendents Office 12th L. S. D.

Greensburg Ky June 26th 1866.

Sir

Herewith please find Monthly Report of
Bureau Refuges Freedmen and Abandoned Lands
and Monthly Return of Receipts and Expenditures for
the month of June 1866. for 12th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Ky.

Yours Very Respectfully

and obt Servant

Wm. H. Hayes Supt

12th Dist Lex Sub Dist of

Ky

To

Lieut Col B E Johnston

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

Lexington Ky

NARA 126
Depot & M Office
Jeffersonville Ind
June 26. 1866

Rutherford R C
Cret & Depot & M

Enclose duplicate and
tripliate Bill Lading for
one @ Hempstead Tent only &
one @ Sett Tent Poles
Request on receipt of
Property that duplicate bill
of Lading be signed & ret'd
him

Recd L S D June 27. /66.

Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., June 26th 1866.

Prot. Col. R. E. Johnston, V. R. C.,
Chief Supt. Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Lexington, Ky.
Colonel:

Enclosed please find Duplicate & Triplicate
Bill of Lading for One (1) Hospital Tent and Fly, and One (1)
set Tent Poles shipped you this day via Louisville & Lexington
Rail Road.

On receipt of the property described please sign
and return Duplicate B. L. to this office.

Very Respectfully,

Your obedient Servant,

R. C. Rutherford.

Colonel and Depot Qr. Mstr

128
Bureau R S & A Lands
Nicholasville Ky
June 26. 1866

Rice Mr F
Agt 2 Dist.

Acknowledges receipt of
Check No 22 on First Nat
Bank New York for \$97⁵⁰
in favor of R S Mitchell
a Singer at Camp Nelson Ky.

Recd L S D June 27th 1866

MAILED 129
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Nicholasville Ky
June 26/66

Rev. Col. R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt, Dep. Sub. Dist.
Lexington Ky

Sir; I have hon-
or to acknowledge the receipt of check
no. 22, on the Fifth Nat. Bk of New York
for \$97.50 in favor of Robt. S. Kitchell
G. G. Simpson at Camp Nelson, which
I have this day forwarded to him

Very Respy Servt
Wm. D. Lee
Or. G. Rice
Asst. Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Hessamine & Guard Coys.

NARA 139
Asst Commr. Office of B.
Louisville Ky. June 27th 1886.

Recd. Dist May 1886
by Dist Eng. Recd. Phila. Pa.

Acknowledges the receipt
of letter, requesting a supply
of blanks, and informs that
the said blanks have been
forwarded by Express.

Ex receipt filed

Recd. 21st June 1886

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky.,

June 27th 1866.

Colonel

I have the honor by direction of Bt. Maj. Genl. Jeff. C. Davis, Asst. Commr. State of Ky. to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 26th inst requesting a supply of blanks used in the collection of claims & to inform you that there has been forwarded to you by Express this day, the following, the receipt of which please acknowledge.

300 Declarations for arrears of pay & bounty.
100 Fathers application for arrears of pay & bounty
100 Mothers " " " "
100 Widows " " " "
100 Brothers & Sisters " " " "

I am, Very Respectfully,

Your obedient servant

Bt. Col. R. E. Johnston.

Chief Supt. B. R. & A. L.
Lexington Ky.

1 Encl. 4th Receipt.

John W. Ellis

Bt. Brig. Genl. U.S.A.

Chief Supt. &c.

MA 132
Pomer R F & A Lando
Ad Geo 3 Dist L 5 D
Wichesterly. Jan 27. 1866.

Gist Geo H.
Lupt & Co

Transmits his Report to
Returns for June 1866.

Recd L 5 D L 28/66

29th

Office of Refugees Freedmen & Abandoned Lands

Office Supt 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist
June 27th 1866

Deert Col R. E. Johnson
Chief Supt Lee Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Sir

I have the honor
to transmit herewith my return and report
for June 1866. as also my report of persons
and articles hired for month of June 1866

You will observe that no vouchers are sent
for the hire of agents in Estill and Owsley
Counties. I have not been able to get returns
from these counties. So soon as I get them
I will forward the same

I am very respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt
G. H. Gist

Supt

Person R F & A Lands
Office Sept 3^d Dist L.G. H
Winchester May 27. 1866

Gist Geo H
Sept 3 Dist

Recommends the appointment
of Mr H Borren Agt for
black body.

29^N

Recd L C D May 29 1866

Bureau of Refugee Freedmen & Manumitted Lands

Office of Supt 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist
June 27th 1866

Genl Rob R. E. Johnson
Chief Supt Le Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Sir

I have the honor to recommend
for your consideration and appointment Mr John
W. Bowen of this place as agent for Clark Co
Mr Bowen is a truly loyal and has the confidence
of the entire people of this county. I respectfully
ask his appointment with a salary of (\$75⁰⁰)
seventy five dollars per month. Capt R. C. Nicholas
who had the appointment has turned against the
institution and has not been acting ^{for} one month
In the order appointing Mr Bowen please state that
R C Nicholas is removed. Mr Bowen will
act as Sgt & Clerk &c

Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

G. H. Gist Supt

Mr. R. F. & A. Land

Head Qu & Co Dist L.S.D.

Lexington Jan 27. 1866

Howard H. B

Sept 4 Dist

Transmits Monthly Reports
for June 1866.

Re. L.S.D. Jan 28/66

Mount Pleasant Bureau A. F. & A. L.
Head Qrs. 4th Dist L. S. D.
Mount Sterling Ky June 27th 1866.

R. C. Johnston
Brig Col & Ch. Supt.
B F R & A L Lexington S. D.
Col.

I have the honor
to enclose you the following Returns for the
month of June 1866 viz
Report of Receipts & Expenditures
" " Monthly Reports

Coming to my
Agents not having their Reports in promptly I
have to ask your indulgence till the 29th when
I will have my full Returns made up and
forwarded promptly.

Yours Col.

Your Obedient Servt

M. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist L. S. D.

NARA 138
Baran R. A. A. Gaud
Supt Office "Dist 22"
Chapman, Ky. June 27/66

Barley S. J.
Supt "Dist 22"

Transmit to Vacher for
Rent of office for June 1866.

Recd L. S. D. June 66.

Bureau R. T. M. S. L. and
 Sup't Office with Ques. L. L. D.
 Charleston Ky. June 27/66
 1 Col. C. B. Johnston
 Sup't Bureau R. T. M. S. L.
 Lexington Sub District
 Lexington Ky
 Colonel

I have
 the honor to transmit herewith vouchers
 for Rent of Room used as Office for the
 month of June 1866.

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt. Servt.
 J. J. Overley
 Sup't " Lexington Sub District

Given R F + A Lands
 Supts office 12 Dist
 Greensburg Ky June 27 /66.

Rogers H H.
 Supt 12 Dist

Encloses Supplementy
 School Report for May.

Recd L S D Inc 1. 1866

NARA 141
Bureau R. F. + Adams
Supt's Office 12th Dist LSW
Greensburg Ky

Rogers LSW
Supt 12th Dist

Made for Rept for
LWS -

142
Bureau D F & A Lands
Superintendants office 12th Dist L&L
Greensburg Ky June 27th 1866.

Sir

Enclosed please find Supplementary Report
of Freedmens Schools Bureau Refuges Freedmens
and abandoned Lands 12th Dist L&L for the month
of May 1866.

Very Respectfully your
obt servant

Wm. H. Coyle
Supt 12th Dist L&L Ky

To

Lt Col James H. Rice
Major BR 1st Regt
Lexington Ky

Wm

Bureau R F + A Lands
Supt's Office 12th Dist L. S. D.
Greensburg Ky June 27th 1866

Rogers W W
Supt 12th Dist

Transmits Report of Person
Ma Arhels for March. April
May & June. And Vouchers
for services of self. Agts
& Office Rent.

Recd L S D In 30706.

Bureau R F & A Lands
Supt Office 12th Dist L. S. D.
Greenspring Ky June 27th 1866.

Sir

I herewith transmit to you my Report on
Form No 2 of Persons and Articles hired for the months
of March, April May and June 1866. also

Please find enclosed in Form No 2 for April Form No 22
for Allen Myers Rent of office for April being \$7⁰⁰
also please find enclosed in Form No 2 for June
Form No 22 for W. W. Rogers Supt. for services \$380.⁰⁰

" " " C W Van Bibber agt - " " 133.³³

" " " W W Rice agt - " " 121.⁶⁷

" " " Geo E Winn Office Rent 16.⁰⁰

for the time therein specified inclusive.

Please remit the above amounts to the above at this
office at your earliest convenience and oblige

To Maj James H. Rice } Yours Very Respt & obt Servant
a. a. a. B R F & A } J. W. Rogers Supt 12th Dist of Ky
Greenspring Ky }
L. S. Sub Dist

NARR 145
Bureau N F & A Lands
Office Supt. 10th Dist
Mayoville Ky June 27. 1866

True C. J.
Supt 10 Dist

Forwards his Reports and
Returns for June 1866.

Recd L S D June 30/66

Bureau R. F. & A. Sandy
Supt's Office 10th Dist L. & D.
Maysville, Ky. June 27th 1866

Port. Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt. Lev. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to forward herewith the following Reports, Returns &c. for the month of June
Report Bureau R. F. & A. L. Return Receipts & Exp
Return L. M. Stores Report Freedmen's Schools
Report of Persons & Articles Killed Vouchers for Salary of Supt.
Vouchers for salary of Clerk " " Printing Planks
" " Rent of Office " " Interviewing dis. Freedmen
Vouchers for Traveling expenses under S. O. No. 29

I have placed my salary at \$150 per month as Gen. Ely in a letter bearing date June 2nd, says he will recommend that my salary be raised to that sum from May 1st, providing the monthly reports and returns should justify it. No report could possibly show the

amount of business done at this office. I am constantly doing business for Freedmen for which no charge can be made. Cases are adjudicated daily between them which are not reported because they are unable to pay anything either in costs or for services rendered.

I was compelled to get some printing done or suspend business. I put in my estimates for Stationery &c for the month but never received a supply. I had a sufficient quantity of blanks printed to furnish my Agents in Fleming, Pracken & Nicholas Counties.

Very Resp. Yours
R J True
Supt.

NARA 148
Buren R. R. & A. Lard
Supts Office 10th Dist
Mayoville Ky Jan 27. 1866

Prue B. J.
Supt 10 Dist

Acknowledges receipt of
Check payable to Louis
Stone or order.

Recd L S D Jan 29. 1866.

Manaw Refugees. Freedman, V. A. Lands.
Office Superintendent, 10th Dist. L.S.
Mayville, Ky. June 27th 1866.

Art Col R E Johnston
Chief Capt Lee Sutwick

Colonel.

I have
the honor to acknowledge the receipt
of your communication of June 25th
enclosing "check" for fifteen dollars
payable to the order of Louis Stine.

I am, Colonel
Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt
B J Bone
Superintendent

NARA 150
Agt Q M Office
Jeffersonville Ind
June 28. 1866.

Belcher J H
Capt ^{us} A Q M

Has forwarded thro Cio
Rutherford Report Q M
Invoice for Blanks Sent

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Recd L S D Jun 29. 1866.

MAILED 151
Assistant Quartermaster Office
Jeffersonville Ind. June 28th 1861.

Brig. Genl. R. E. Johnson U. S. V.
Chf. Supt. Dep. Sub. Dist. 13. R. F. & A. L.
Lexington Ky

Colonel,

I have forwarded to
you, through Col. A. C. Rutherford, Depot Tr. Utr. Invoices
and Receipts for Quartermaster's Blanks this day sent you

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

J. W. Belcher

Capt. & A. Q. Utr.

B. R. F. & A. Lands
Ad Geo. 1st Dist L S D
Dawillky June 29. 1866.

Give him
~~an order~~

Bourne Capt H R
Sept 1st Dist.

J

Asks for a Special
Order to cover travelling
Expenses while at
Carrington.

Recd L S D July 1. 1866

WAR 153
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., June 29th 1866.

Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub Dist Ky
Colonel

I have the honor to inform you that while at Carrollton Ky. acting as Supt of affairs Bureau R. F. & A. L. for the 1st Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky. from April 2nd 1866 until May 15th 1866. I traveled about the the District on business that appeared to demand attention, and incurred expenses to the amt of \$14.50 vouchers for which are herewith forwarded. I have to request that an order covering these journeys be issued from Hqs Lexington Sub. District Ky.

Very respectfully your Obedt Servt
W. R. Rouse

Capt. U. S. A. Bvt. Maj. N. H. H.

Green Refractor + A.L.
P. B. F. + A. Lande
Supt Office 13th Sub Dist
Lex S. D.

Green Refractor
June 29th 1866

Refractor, N. N.
Supt 12. Dist of N.Y.

Ask for S. O.
receiving N. N. V. o. e
Agt 12 Dist.

W. H. F. F. A. L. V.
W. H. F. F. A. L. V.
W. H. F. F. A. L. V.

Recd L. S. D. May 1866.

Barren Refuges & A.L.
A.R. F. & A. Lande
Supt Office 13 Sub Dist
Lex S. D.

Crumfordsburg
June 29th 1866

Cogsw. W. W.
Super 12. Dist of Kan.

Asto Jan 5. O.
Releving W. W. Voe
Agt 12 Dist.

N.R.F. & A.L.
Hd. Qrs
- 212 Sub Dist. Ky. &
O.R.
Recd. L.S.D. Key 1866

Prisoner Refugee Freedmen^{and} Abandoned Lands
Head Quarter 13th Sub Dist of Kn
Greensburg Kn. June 29th 1866,

Col.

I would most respectfully ask
that W. W. Vice Agent B. R. F. & A. L. 13th
Sub Dist of Kn. be relieved from duty, as
I have found out that he is detrimental
to the Bureau.

I am Col Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.

W. W. Foy
Supt 12. Dist of Kn.

To

Col James H Rice

a a a Gen

B R F & A. L.

MADE 157
Bureau Refugee F. & Ad.
H. A. Q. n. 4th Dist. L. S. D.
Mount Sterling Ky June 29/86

Howard A. C.
Supt. H. C.

S. S. P. C. 1866. 4th Dist. S. S. D.

Transmits Monthly Reports
Vouchers &c

Recd L. S. D. June 30/66

WAR 158
Bureau Refugee Freedmen Ad Ad.
Hd Qrs. 4th Dist Lev Sub Dist

R. E. Johnston
1st Lt Col & Supt. S. L. D.

Lexington Ky. Col.

I have the
honor to herewith transmit my Monthly Return
of the Affairs of the 4th Dist Lev Sub District
for the month of June 1866 by Verbal Authority
from Brig Genl C. I was directed to make
out my Vouchers for Services rendered, as you
will perceive from the 1st to 15th & from 16th to 30th
June inclusive. (viz)

Form No. 2. with the following Vouchers. from
June 1st to 15th inclusive.

W. L. Howard	\$75.00.
W. H. Coyle	37.50.
John J. Coons.	25.00
R. W. Hutchcraft	37.50.
N. S. Chubb.	25.00.
J. Mitchell	41.50 from Mar 22 67 over.

From June 16th to 30th inclusive

H. C. Howard	75.00.
W. W. Lytle	37.50.
John J. Evans	25.00.
R. W. Hutchcraft	37.50.
N. E. Chubb	25.00.
J. Mitchell	7.50.
L. J. Glover	<u>8.50.</u>

Also Form No. 23. Monthly Return re.
+ my own Voucher Form 20. for Postage
and the following Purchase Vouchers form
No. 12.

J. L. Walker & Co. Printing &c	\$46.50
W. J. Hanly do.	8.50.
G. L. Knifford Groceries	<u>17.70</u>

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

H. C. Howard
Capt. & Qu. Master
Lieut. Sub Dir.

forward

Depot Q M Office
Jeffersonville Ind
June 29. 1866

Raithenford R. C
Coe & Depot Q M.

Transmits transfer papers
for 3 1/2 gro Q M. Blanks
requests that receipt for
same be signed and returned
to Capt J H Belcher A. g. M
se

Recd L S P June 30/66

Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., June 29, 1866.

Prot. Col. R. E. Johnston, U.S.A.
Chf. Supt. Sub. Dist. B. R. T. and A. L.
Lexington, Ky.
Colonel:

Enclosed please find transfer papers for three and one half (3½) quires D. M. Blanks forwarded to you, from this Depot, on the 28th inst. for your requisition received at this office June 27th 1866.

On receipt of blanks please sign and return enclosed receipt to Captain J. W. Belcher, A. Q. M., under cover to this office.

Very Respectfully,

Your obedient Servant,

R. E. Rutherford,

Colonel and Depot Qr. M.

Boxen R F & Adams
Supts Office 12th Dist L. S. D
Greensburg Ky June 29th /66

Rogers W. W
Supt 12th Dist

Transmit his Return
on Form 2^d for March
April May & June.

Recd L S D Aug 2 /66.

NARA 163
Bureau Refuges To A.L.S.D. Ky
Superintendents office 12th dist L.S.D. Ky
Greensburg Ky June 29th 1866,

Sir

In compliance with Circular No 9 dated Head
Quarters Lex Sub. Dist. Ky, June 20th 1866. I herewith
transmit my Return on Form No 23, for March, April,
May, & June, 1866.

Very Respectfully your obt-

servant
A.W. Rogers

Supt-12th dist Lex Sub Dist Ky

To

Col. R.E. Johnston
Chf, Supt, Lex, Sub, Dist,
Lexington Ky

Given to F & A Land
Recd from Jth Dist L. S. D
Causality Aug 2. 1866

Given to A. H.
Sept 10

Requests supply of C. M.
Plunko No 22.

July
1866

Recd L. S. D Aug 3 1866

NARA 165
Bureau Refused to Land a Land
7th Dist Lexington Sub Dist
May 2/66
Cancellation by

R E Johnson St Col V R Ls Ba Col Alfa
Chief Sup^d Lexington Sub
District

Colonel
Please Send me Blanks No 22 I M Sept

Very Respectfully your Obedt Servt

A. H. Brandlee
Sup^d V L

1 Bureau H. F. & A. L
Head Qrs 9th Dist. Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky. July 2^d 1866

Graham School

Lt W B Capt
9th Dist. Ky

Towards School Report for
Month of June 1866

Rec'd L. S. D. by B. 1866

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Head Qrs 9th Dist. Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky July 2^d 1866

Pro. Col R. E. Johnson
Chief Supt. Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Colonel

I have the honor to
enclose herewith School Report for month of
June 1866

I am Col

Very respectfully

Your Obed. Serv.

Jos. Graham

St. O. R. Supt. 9th Dist Ky

Bureau R. & Aud A. L.
Head Qrs. 4th Dist L. S.
Mount. Fort July 27, 1866

Howard H. C.
Supt.

Recommends an extension
of the jurisdiction of Capt
J. J. Evans Agent. and an
increase of his salary to
\$65⁰⁰ month.

Recd L. S. & Ind. 8/66.

MAN 169
Bureau of Indian Affairs
H. C. Coates 4th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Mount Sterling Ky July 3rd 1866

J. E. Johnston
Bvt. Col. & Supt. Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Col.

I respectfully request
that the appointment of Capt. John J. Evans the present
Agent for Montgomery County jurisdiction be extended
over the Counties of Powell, Wolfe, Mays, and
Breathitt, and that his salary be increased to the sum
of (\$65.00) Sixty Five Dollars per month.
Capt. Evans is a faithful and
efficient Agent.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

H. C. Howard

Supt. 4th Dist L.S.D.

MA 178
Bureau R. 2nd A. L.
Head On 4th Dist L S d.

Mount Sterling July 21st 66

Howard. H. C.

Supt 4th Dist

Requests of pointments
of Capt J. L. Bowman
as Agent 4 Dist

S. O.

Recd L S d Aug 3/66.

Bureau Refugees Freedmen & Abandoned Lands
Head Quarters 4th Dist Lex. Int. Dist
Mount. Sterling Ky July 3rd, 1866

R. C. Johnston
Brig. Genl & Supt Lex. Int. Dist
Lexington Ky Col

I respectfully
request the appointment of Capt. J. L. Bomar
late 2nd Ky Cav. as Agent of the Affairs of the Bureau
in and for the Counties of Bath, Rowan & Morgan
Head Quarters at Sharpsburg Bath Co Ky. I would
respectfully ask that his Salary be fixed at the rate
of (\$65.00) Sixty five dollars per month.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servt

H. C. Howard

Supt 4th Dist L. I. D.

J. 56 1866

Bureau A. J. and A. Land
S. D. Dist Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington Ky July 3rd 1866

Johnston R. C.
Bot Col^l Chief Supt

Transmits in duplicate,
Special Requisition No 40-
matting for Office floor

I Enclo

Recd Dist Com Off Ky July 5th 1866

✓ Bureau Refugees Ind A. Land
Dist Coms Office, State of Ky.
Louisville July 11th 1866.

Respectfully returned to Bvt
Col R. C. Johnston Chief Supt
Lexington Ky, disapproved,
there being no matting on hand
in this Bureau that can be
issued for that purpose, and
the Quartermasters Dept having
refused to furnish it.

By Order of Bvt Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Dist Coms. State of Ky.

Blundy

Bvt Brig Gen U. S. Vol
Chief Supt

End 565 1866

Recd Gen L S D July 13/66

NARA 173
Orlean Refuges F & A Lands
Head Qrs Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Aug 3. 1866.

Art Dirig Gen John Ely
Chf Supt State of Ky
Louisville Ky
General.

I have the honor to transmit
herewith in duplicate Special Requisition
No 40

I am General
Very Respectfully
Your obt Servant

R J Johnston
Art Col U S V. Lt Col V R
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

Encl. 1, T. 56 1866

No. 40.

No. Abstract K 186

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

SPECIAL REQUISITION

40-40

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of June 1866

MAR 175

NO. 40.

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

33 yds

For

Matting for office Floor.

I certify that the above Requisition is correct; and that the articles specified are absolutely requisite for the public service, rendered so by the following circumstances.
Required for use of office of Chief Supt Lexington Gen Dist. Bureau
Refugee Freedmen & Abandoned Lands.

R E Johnston
Port Adm U.S.V. Lt Col VRC
Chf Supt Lexington Gen Dist

Quartermaster U. S. Army, will issue the
articles specified in the above requisition.

Commanding.

Received at.....the.....of....., 186
of.....Quartermaster U. S. Army,

in full of the above Requisition.
[DUPLICATE]

R E Johnston
Port Adm U.S.V. Lt Col VRC
Chf Supt Lex Gen Dist

No. 40.

No. Abstract *K* 186

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

NO. 40.

SPECIAL REQUISITION.

33 yds

For

Matting for office floors.

I certify that the above Requisition is correct; and that the articles specified are absolutely requisite for the public service, rendered so by the following circumstances.
Required for use of office of Chief Supt Lexington Gen District
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & Abandoned Lands at Lexington

C. E. Johnston
Brig Gen U.S.V. Lt Col VRC
Chf Supt Lexington Gen Dist
Quartermaster U. S. Army, will issue the

articles specified in the above requisition.

Commanding.

Received at the of, 186
of Quartermaster U. S. Army,

in full of the above Requisition.
(DUPLICATE)

C. E. Johnston
Brig Gen U.S.V. Lt Col VRC
Chf Supt Lex Gen Dist

MADE 178
Burmese Refugees. Fremont Hall
Head Quarters of British L. S. S.
Mount. Sterling St. July 3/66

Howard, H. C.

Requests that permission
be granted him to visit
the Agents at Shanghai &
Paris by a special train

Recd L. S. S. July 4/66

NARA 179
Bureau Refugio. Huamantla A. L.
Hd Qrs. 4th Dist Livingston Sub Dis
Mont. Territory July 3rd 1866

A. E. Johnston.

Bvt Col. and Chf Supt. Lev Sub Dis

Livingston Ky. Col.

I have the
honor to request that permission be granted me
to visit the Agent at Sharpsburgh Bath Co.
and Agent at Paris Ky on "Official Business"

I am Col. Very Respectfully

Your Obed^t Servt

H. L. Howard

Supt 4th Dis to Lev Sub Dis

NARR 189

Bureau Refugee Freedmen Aid
11d 2nd Dist Lex Int Dist
Lexington Ky. July 3rd 1866

Rice J. A. H. Brd L. H. S.
Sept 2nd D L S D

Transmits Report of
Schools. in 2nd Dist Lex Int Dist
in the month of June 1866—

Recd L S D July 3. 1866.

NARR 181
Bornean Refugee Freedmen & A L
Hd 2nd 2nd Dist Lx Sub Dist
Lexington Ky July 3^d 1866.

Bvt Col R E Johnston.
Chf Supt Lx Sub Dist
Lexington Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit
Report of Freedmen^s schools Bornean Refugee School
for the month of June 1866. in the 2nd Dist Lx Sub Dist
I am Colonel

Very Respectfully
Yours
James A. Ren
Bvt Lt Col Supt 2nd Dist Lx

MADE 1866
Bureau R F and A, L
Supts Office & Dist L S B
Cynthiana July 3 1866

Read J. W.
Supt & "Dist L S B

Transmits School Reports
for May and June 1866.

Read L S B. Aug 4. 1866.

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Bureau Refugees Freedmen & a Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist L.S. D
Cynthiana Ky July 3rd 1866

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L & Sub Dist

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit the Supplementary
Reports of the Freedmens Schools for the months
of May and June 1866.

Not having any blanks for this purpose
I am not sure they are in the proper form

I am Colonel Very Respectfully
your Obt Servt
J. W. Read
Supt 8th Dist L.S. D

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Given R S & a Lands
Supts Office 10th Dist
Mayville Ind 3. 1866.

True C. J.
Supt re

Transmits Report of Perms
and Abuses Corrected as
required.

Recd L S D Ind 4/16/66.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & A.L.
Supt's Office 10th Dist L. S. W.
Waysville, Ky. July 3rd 1860.

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston
Lexington Ky.

Colonel,

Enclosed I return the Report of Persons and
Articles held for the month of June, corrected according
to instructions from your office. Mr. Saly was appointed
by Br. Maj. Genl. Fisk, but I do not know what
Salary he gets, or when he was appointed.

Very Resp. Yours
C. J. True
Supt.

Ms. I

Bureau Refugees Freedmen & A Lands.
Head Quarters 9th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky July 15th 1866-

Bot Col A. C. Johnston
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky. Colonel

I have the honor to
submit the following report of my tour of inspection
performed under S.O. No 38. dated B. A. G. & A. L.
Head Quarters Lex Sub Dist July 4th 1866.

At Covington Ky Head Quarters 9th Dist, I found the
affairs of the Bureau were efficiently & economically
conducted by the Superintendent Lieut John L. Graham
U. S. A. - Lieut Graham informed me that he had
been unable to obtain any person to act as Agent of
the Bureau in the counties of his District on ac-
count of the intense hostility to the Bureau on
the part of the Citizens who being a lawless class
do not hesitate at any means to rid themselves
of the presence of an Agent of the Bureau -

In Brown County there are many cases in
which Negroes are still held as slaves, which
circumstance Lt Graham informed me had
been reported to the Chief Supt of the State with
the names of the parties - Lt Graham deems
the presence of troops at Covington, to be used
in arresting the outlaws in the southern portion
of his district of great importance and I

REPORT OF INSPECTION TOUR

performed under S.O. No 38.

B. R. W. L. H. 2nd Lt. Lex Sub Dist

July 4. 1866

Capt. B. A. Keol J. A. Rice

Sept 2nd Lt. Lex Sub Dist

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Bureau Refugees Freedmen & A Lands.

Head Quarters 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist

Lexington Ky July 15th 1866-

Post Col (R. E. Johnston.

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist)

Lexington Ky.

Colonel

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In Brown County there are many cases in which Negroes are still held as slaves, which circumstance Lt Graham informed me had been reported to the Chief Supt of the State with the names of the parties - Lt Graham deems the presence of troops at Covington, to be used in arresting the outlaws in the southern portion of his district of great importance and I

recommend that a Non-Commissioned Officer and eight privates be ordered to report to him -

At Mayerville Ky Head Quarters of the 10th Dist under Supervision of C. J. True late Colonel Ky Volunteers, the affairs of the Bureau are systematic and ably conducted, The freedmen are throughout the District at work and the contracts are being registered at the Superintendent's Office -

I would recommend that Col True be allowed a clerk in his Office -

At Carlisle in Nicholas County 10th Dist the Agent does not seem to have accomplished much and has no records whatever and he informed me he had made no indentures or Contracts -

I am of the Opinion that a more efficient man might be found for the position

At Mt Sterling the Head Quarters of the 4th Dist, in Charge of Henry C. Howard Esq I found nothing of which complaint could be made, but on the contrary the Records are well kept and the interest of the Freedmen well attended to,

I do not think any reduction could be made in the expenses of the Head Quarters of the District -

At Paris I find the Agent of Bourbon County has a clerk which in my opinion is unnecessary and I recommend his discharge,

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At Winchester Ky Head Quarters 3rd District G. W.
 Gist Eng Supt. I do not find that much
 business has been transacted owing to the fact
 as the Supt informs me of the opposition of
 the People to transacting their business through
 the Bureau - It seems to me the third
 district might be broken up and the counties
 annexed to the 1st and 4th Districts -

This month being the season of harvest the citizens
 of the various Districts are not able to conform to the
 requirements of the Bureau in registering Con-
 tracts, but have in most cases promised to attend to
 these matters after the gathering of the Crops - I doubt
 not that under the instructions from asst Comm^r Office
 State of Kentucky, the receipts will go far towards
 paying the expenses of the Bureau in this Sub-District.

In addition to other recommendation I would
 respectfully advise that all Agents heretofore appointed in
 the 3rd Dist be at once discharged they never
 having accomplished anything since their ap-
 pointment -

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servt.

Asst Lt Col, Capt V.R.C.
 Supt 2nd Dist Lex Sub-Dist

Prussian R 3rd A L
Agts Office 2^d Dist L S D
L R I Nicholasville Ky July 5 1866

Rice W. F. Agt.

Say^e he has made inquiry
concerning the payment of colored
men who worked on Rail Road
and finds that most of them
were slaves impressed, some
of them were paid & in most cases
the clothing they received from
the Govt amounted to more than
the service rendered many of
them ran off when they rec^d the
clothing & did but little work.

Also encloses statement
of D. S. McFarland who was
Clerk for the Mil R^d Rds—

Rec^d 2^d Dist L S D July 7/66

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Prussian Refugees R 3rd A L
Hd Qs 2^d Dist L S D
Lexington Ky July 7/66.

Respectfully referred to Col
R. E. Johnston Chf Supt Lex Sub
District for his information—

James H. Kim
Brig Lt Col Regt Capt R R C
Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist.

Rec^d L S D July 5 1866

MAILED 192
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Nicholasville, Ky
July 5/66

Bvt. Col. R. C. Johnston.
Chief Sup't L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Sir, I have the honor to inform you that, I have made inquiry in regard to the payment of colored men for working on roads &c.

I find that a large number of them were employed while they were slaves, in working on a railroad at this place, also on a railroad running to Crab Orchard, and on a dirt road between Stanford & Somerset.

I enclose ~~statement~~ ^{statement} of Mr. D. S. McDaniel who was clerk for Mr. B. Chrisman ^{since dead} who superintended the operations. Mr. W. Woodson

of this place who was formerly a slave agt. informing me that he collected some of the claims for the masters of the slaves, but they did not amount to much, as the govt had charged the negroes with blankets &c & allowed the full amount due them, and in some cases they were indebted to the

Govt. Those negroes who were
free at the time they were employed, were
paid at the time.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
J. M. Rice
Agent Bureau F. O. V. A. D.
2nd Dist. Lex. Sub. Dist

MARR 194

I was clerk for L. H. Chuzman
Genl Supt Military roads, under Genl J. P. Boyle
Genl order No. 41. 1863. There were slaves
from Lincoln, Mercer, Jessamine, Woodford,
Fayette & Scott Counties; there were about
Seven Hundred & Fifty (750) of them.

They worked on the Lexington & Danville
R.R. from Sept. 13th 1863 to Oct. 20/63.

We then went to the Lebanon & Crab
Orchard R.R. and worked there till the
1st of December /63. We were then ordered
to work on military road from Hall's gap
to Somerset, Ky. They say their
masters were never paid to my knowledge;
they drew rations & clothing from the Govt,
and many of them after getting clothing
ran away. Those at work with
Mr Chuzman were all impressed slaves.

D. M. Harfang,
Clerk Mil R.R.

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Louisville Ky
July 9. 1866.

Brownlee & Co.

Transmits Voucher for
Services as Supst for 7th
Dist for Apr May & June.

Recd L S B Co, 10/66

Thos. W. H. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H. H.

Louisville Ky
July 9. 1866.

Colonel.

I have the honor to enclose
herewith Vouchers in triplicate for services
as Supt of Dist. Lexington Sub Dist Beauregard
of Freedman &c for the months of April
May & June 1866. for approval. Please
send the vouchers approved to me at
this place care of Druggan & Smith -
at your earliest convenience

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
A. H. Brunslee

Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt. Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky.

James R D + A L -
Agts Office 25 D L S D
Nicholasville Ky July 9/66

Recd Wm T. Agt.

Submits additional in-
formation concerning the negroes
employed by the Govt in constructing
Mil R.R. Rds.

Mr Chrisman son of Lewis
Chrisman (decd) states the same
in every particular as that
made by Mr McFarland which
I forwarded you on the 6th inst

He further states that the books
containing the names of all the
slaves employed & the names of
their Masters are now in the
possession of Ward Monday
at Monday^s Landing on the
Ky River.

Recd L S D Ky 10/66

Bureau R. F. & A. L.

Nicholasville Ky
R. E. Johnston

July 9/66.

Buty Col. Jas. H. Hici
Chief Supt 2nd Dist. L. S. D.
Lexington Ky

Sir;

I have the honor to submit the following information, in addition to that already submitted to you, in reference to the negroes employed by the Govt in the construction of military roads.

I have seen Mr Chismar, son of Lewis Chismar (decd) and the statement given me by him agrees in every particular with that given by Mr McFarland which I enclosed to you on the 6th inst.

He further states that the books used during their operations, which contain the names of all slaves employed, and the names of their masters, are now in possession of Mr Ward, Mandy who resides at Mandy's Landing, on the Ky river. This is all the information I can obtain.

Very respectfully
your Obedt Servt
(over)

W. J. King

*Ag't. Bureau R.F.V.A. Co
2nd Dist Lex. Sub. Dist*

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Bureau R F & a Sands
Supts Office 8th Dist 2, 5, 8
Cynthiana Ky July 9th 1866

Recd J W
Supt 8th Dist 2, 5, 8

Requests that "Blanks"
for Widows Claims for bounty
& be sent him. —

Sent by R. C. R.

Recd L S D Aug 10, 1866

Bureau R & A Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist L.S.D
Cynthiana Ky July 9th 1866

Bot Col R.E. Johnston
Chief Supt L.S.D

Colonel

I have the honor to request that you send me a few
Widows Claims (Bounties) for arrears of pay and
Bounty. King failed to give me any of that
kind but give me plenty of the other kinds
I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

your obt servant
J. W. Read
Supt 8th Dist

P. N. P. & A. Lands

Ad Pro 12 Dist 5th
Greenwich Ky July 11/66.

Rogers H. H.
Supt &c

Recommends the following
person be appointed
Agents for 12th Dist.

Jasper Dowling
Wm Dowling
H. A. Zeigler

To be filed

July 15
Rec'd L. S. & Co. 1866

Burran Refugees Freedmen^{and} Abandoned Lands
Head-Quarters 12th Lexington Sub District
Greensburg Ky July 11th 1866

Col.

I would most respectfully recommend the following named persons for Agents in my Dist as I find I can not get the business attended to without them

Jasper Bowling in and for Boyd Lee

William Bowling in and for Carter Lee

William A. Grigler in and for Lewis Lee

The Bowlings are Internal Revenue Collectors of said County. Capt W^m A. Grigler Commanded a Company in a Co Regt during the late Rebellion.

They have been assisting me since June 24th 1866 and I recommended them at that time and have heard nothing from it since. Hoping that their Commissions or appointment will be forwarded as soon as convenient.

I am Dear Siry Respect

Your Obt Serv^t

W. H. Rogers Supt 12th Lex Sub Dist of Ky

To
Resd Col. H. E. Johnston
Chief Supt Lex Sub Dist

WAR 204
B R F & A Lands

Supts office & Dist

Cynchiana Ky Aug 11/66.

Read J. H.

Supt 8th Dist

States that the detachment
of 2nd Infy on duty
at Cynchiana has been
relieved. Requests that
more soldiers be sent
here.

Read L S & Inc, 12. 1866.

Bureau R & A Lands

Supts Office 8" Dist S. S. D

Cynthiana Ky July 11" 1866

Bvt Col R E Johnston

Chief Supt S. S. D.

Colonel

I have the honor to inform you that the
Detachment of the 2" Infy - on duty here
has been relieved their Company being ordered
to Jeffersvill Ind.

Colonel will you be kind enough
to send me say a Corporal & Six Men
from the Company you have at Lexington
I do not think any thing of any consequence
can be done without a few Soldiers
the Rebs. forgets there is any Federal govt.
I am Colonel

Very Respectfully
your Obedt Servant
J W Read
Supt 8" Dist

July 1866

Lexington Ky
July 12th 1866

Johnston R. E.
Bt Col. U. S. Chief
Supt &c.

Transmits for
payment the following
accounts

C. J. True Supt
Mileage \$45.00

W. B. Edelin Stationery
3 Encls \$23.35

Recd Ant Cons Offin 13 July 14/66

Bureau R. F. A. Bonds
Asst Comm. ^{Office} State of Ky.
Louisville, July 16th 1866.

Respectfully returned to Bt Col.
R. E. Johnston Chief Supt
Lexington Ky, with the infor-
mation that the enclosed
ouchers of C. J. True Supt 10th
Dist, for mileage can be paid
from the receipts of his office.
The enclosed vouchers of W. B.
Edelin for Stationary purchased
by Capt W. R. Browne Supt 1st
Dist, will be paid at this
Office, when the accounts are
approved by the Chief Supt
of the Lexington Sub-Dist.

Hereafter no stationery will
be purchased without first
obtaining authority from this
Office. (over)

By Order of Bt Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Ky.
Shively

Bt Brig Genl U. S. Col
Chief Supt

Enc 547. 66

Recd Ant Cons Offin 17 July 1866

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Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., July 12th 1866

20th Brig Genl John Ely.
 1st Supt. Dist of Ky.
 Louisville Ky.

Quadrat:

General: I have the honor to
transmit herewith for payment the following accounts

B. F. Inc Mileage 44 5.00
N. D. Edlin Stationery 23.35-

The Stationery was purchased by Capt. W. B. Brown. H. B. Capt. 1st Dist' Lexington Sub-Dist' for use in his Office.

Yours Respectfully
J. M. Smith

~~R E Johnston~~
1st Lt. U.S.A. Lt Col. W.H.
Capt. Livingston Sub-Dir

NARA 208
Bureau R F & a Lands
Supts Office & Dist L S S
Cynthiana Ky July 12th /66

Read J W.
Supt & Dist L S S

Transmit resignation
of Robt Jones agt & dist L S S
with Voucher for Aug 10th
to 12th 1866.

Recd L S S Aug 13 /66

NARR 209
Bureau R F & a Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist L.S.S.
Cynthiana Ky. July 12th 1866

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L.S.S.

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith
the Resignation of Robert Jones (agent for this County)
also Vouchers for his pay from July 1st to July 12th 1866

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully yours

Obt Servant

J. W. Read

Supt 8th Dist

WAR 219
Bureau R. F. and A. L.
Ad. Ques. Lex. Sub. Dist
Lexington Ky. July 12th 1866

Johnston Dist. Col. R. E.
Chief Supt. Lex. S. Dist

Order that two copies of
Contract & two copies of Inden-
ture to accompany H. H. Pike's
vouchers

Bureau R. F. and A. L.
Supt's. Office 10th Dist L.S.D.
Maysville, Ky. July 14th 1866

Respectfully returned with
blanks enclosed

D. J. Jones
Supt. 10th Dist

Rec'd Office Supt. 10th Dist July 14th 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., July 12th 1866

100 to J. P. Leno
Capt. 10 to Dist L & D.

Wayville Ky.
Sir:

You will please send two
more copies of "Contracts" and also two copies of
"Indentures" at your earliest convenience, as they
are required to accompany W. W. Pike's
accounts.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt. Servt

~~G. E. Johnson~~

Det. Major - U.S. Army

1st Lt. - Langston Ladd

NARA 312
Bureau R. I. and A. Lander
Adm 4th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Mount. Sterling Ky July 13/66

Howard H. L.
Supt. 4th Dist

Ask instructions in regard
to Compelling the Father of the
Child (left at the door of a
Citizen) to take Charge of it

Rec'd L S D Aug 14/66.

Bureau R. & A. Lands

Wd 2nd 4th Dist L. S. O

Attesting Ky

July 13 1866

Col R. E. Johnston

Dear Sir

I respectfully ask
instructions in regard to compelling the Father
to take charge of the child left at the door of one
of our citizens. The case was reported to you on the
3rd inst

I am most respectfully

Yours vob dr to

A. C. Howard

Supt

NABA 214
Bureau R. I. and A. L.
H^o Q^{rs}. Hth Dist Tex Sub Dir
Wth Sterling Ky July 13th 66

Howard H. C
Supt.

Encloses Memorandum
Recpt. for Hospital Tent
& Tent Poles.

Recd L S & Co, 14/66.

WAR 215
Barnes Refugee Freedmen, V. A. Lands.
Head Quarters 4th Dist Sex Sub Dist
Mount Sterling Ky July 18th 1866.

Bn^l Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt. Lexington Ky. Col.

Enclosed please
find Memorandum Rept. for (1) one Hospital
Tent and Tent Poles.

Respectfully
Yours Obedient Sot

H. C. Howard
Supt. 4th Dist L. S. D.

NARA 216
Lexington Ky
July 16. 1866.

John W. I. H.

States that there is one
Months Rent due B. J. Hadesky
& Co for office occupied
by him.

Recd L. S. D. Aug 17 1866.

Lexington Ky
July 16 1866

Col,

I respectfully call your attention to the fact that one month's (either April or May) rent due to B. F. Hardesty & Co for office occupied by me - is still due and unpaid. One check for \$20, and one for \$10, have been received for rent from April 1st to June 15th, leaving \$20 yet due B. F. Hardesty & Co.

Very respectfully
Your Obt. Servt.

J. H. Johnson

Late S. Lt. 5th Dist
Bureau R. F. & A. S.

To
Lt. Col. Jas. H. Rice
Col. R. E. Johnston
Chf. S. Lt. Lex. Sub. Dist.

NOV 21 1866
P. R. F. M. A. L.
Office Chief Quartermaster
Nashville Tenn July 16/66.

Marshall G. W. Boll May

Enclosed Invoices
and Receipts for Stationery
purchased in May 1866

Requests receipts to be
signed & returned him

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NARA 219
Office Chief Gr. & Mr. B. R. T. & Co.

Nashville Tenn July 16 1866.

Br. Major ~~James~~ Rice

~~Chief~~ Supt B. R. T. & Co.

Lexington Ky.

Major.

Enclose & please find
triplicate Invoices and Receipts for Stationery purchased
for use in Your Office of A. B. Laird (May 7), W. O.
Goodloe and Livitt and Calvert (May 31)

Please sign Receipts and return to this Office as
early as practicable

Very Respectfully

Your obedt servant

J. W. Marshall

Br. Major & Chief Gr. & Co.

B. R. T. & Co.

Georgetown Ky.

July 18. 1866.

Shepard & M

In relation to affidavit
of James Morrison given to
J N Farnell in the case
of David Hallen ^{vs}
Shange McDonald.

July 19

Recd L S R Aug 19 1866

George Town Ky July 18th 1866

Col. Johnson " Freedmans Bureau "

I have before me the affidavit given by James Morrison before J. R. Tunell agent of the Bureau on yesterday the 17th & Mr Morrison informs me & and that he wrote it out himself at the request of Mr Tunell to be used by the Bureau as evidence on the part of David Waller a Colored Man in his case against George McDonald — I was not present when the affidavit was given and of course could ask no questions — But upon reading it I think it sustains all I wrote to you as to the facts of the Contract made between Waller & McDonald — Mr Morrison informs me that he went with McDonald to Camp Nelson for the sole purpose of getting David as a substitute & and the Contract was made in a grocery room of John W. Murphy

at Camp Nelson and that Murphy
heard the Contract and he has no
doubt will testify substantially as he Morrison
has — Murphy resides in Lexington
on Main Street East of the Phoenix Hotel

I write this for the purpose of showing
that I was not present but believe the affi-
davit embraces all that I expected — if
however it becomes necessary I can get
Mr Morrison to come to Lexington and
testify before you — If any thing should
transpire that you may wish to see me
I will come up to Lexington

Yours Resly J. M. Shepard

NA 229
Answer R F & A Lunds
Hd Pro Aft Com State of
Somerville July 21. 1866.

D
Ely Dgt Brig Genl Ins
Chf Supt &c

States that the Aft Com
Approves of the general
features of the plan to
re-organize the Lex Jut Dist
into 6 Dist. Directs that
an Estimate of Amt of Money
Required per month be sent
to him &c &c &c

Recd L S R Dist 2/6/66.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., July 21st 1866.)

Colonel:

I am directed by Bt Maj Genl. J. C. Davis Asst Commr State of Ky. to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated July 18. 66, relative to ^{the} organizing the Sub District under your charge, into Six Districts, and to inform you, that, the general features of your plan are approved; you will however, before any orders are issued from this Office in regard to the proposed change, submit an estimate of the amount of money it will require per Month, to pay the Civilians (Supdts, Agents and Ser. Rs) necessary under the re organization you propose, including also Office Rent.

This estimate is required at this Office with a view of reducing the number of districts to five & to cheapen as far as practicable the expense of running the Bureau; not only in your District but throughout the State.

Your estimate will include the pay of the Clerk at your H. Qs as well as those

of the Superintendents of Districts.

Agents pay should not be over Sixty (60) Dollars per Month, provided men of the necessary information & influence can be had for that sum.

I am, General,

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

John Ely

Attny Genl USR

Chief Supdt &c &c

Attny Genl Johnston.

Chief Supdt &c

Lexington Ky

Georgetown Ky
July 23^d 1866.

Chambers B.M.
Tommond A.W.
Woody Henry
Sherritt W.M.
Stewarts of the Methodist
Episcopal Church

States authority by which
the church was taken from
the freedmen in Georgetown
Ky July 22^d 1866. —

Rev 2^d District S.D. July 23/66.

Georgetown Ky July 23rd 1886

Captain

Your communication of this date addressed to Captain T. N. Frazier of this place, has by him been submitted to our consideration as the Stewards of the Methodist Episcopal Church South residing here, and in the absence of our pastor, we deem it our duty to address you this note, setting forth freely the facts in the case, and the causes inducing the policy adopted by us in claiming and taking possession of the house held for worship here by the freedmen. We here disclaim all intention to prevent the freedmen from the worship of God, or to interfere in any way with their religious privileges; but, at the same time, we claim as the Stewards of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, the right to control all the property belonging to the Church, and so long as the freedmen were willing to be controlled by the laws and usages of our Church they were protected by us and no restraint prohibiting them from their usual and customary religious services.

It is submitted as a fact that on the last Sabbath, the 20th of this month, the freedmen disrupted themselves from our Church and claimed the protection and sought the fraternity of another and distinct organization from our own, with whom we have no fellowship, and in common with whom we hold no Church property. Having thus separated themselves from us, we are under no more

obligation to furnish a church in which the
freemen are to worship, than we are to furnish
a house of worship for any other denomination of
Christians, or have the freemen a right to look
alone to our church for a house in which to
hold their meetings. It is further submitted
that church property of every description
including of course, our church houses, is the
property not of the church membership at large,
but belongs to our clergy as a body, and
conveyed in fee to trustees for them, this is
the manner in which the house here is held,
and which your order demands shall be opened.
We believe you were not fully advised of our
rights, or had you a proper representation of all
the facts before you, and hope since we thus
represent the case, you will respect our rights,
and the rights of our church, by withdrawing
the order this day received by Captain Guiney.
Captain Guiney has politely and kindly permitted
us to forward this communication through his
office, and we will await with anxiety, your
further order in the premises.

We have the honor Captain
to be.

Very Respectfully,

Yours Obedt Servt.

Captain Jas H. Rice

J. M. Chambers

Supts 2nd Dist; Ser Supt Div re

A. W. Foxwood

Stratton Ky

Henry Chord

W. M. Hermit

NARA 229
B. R. F. & A. Lando
Apt Comm Office
Louisville Ky July 25 1866

D
Cly Bvt Brig Gen John
Chf Supt Dist of Ky.

Approving the plans of
the re-organization of the
Lexington Jnr Dist, Encloses
a List of the Civilians
to be employed with salaries
to

Recd L. S. & Co July 26. 1866.

NARA 230

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky.

July 25 1866.

Colonel:

I am directed by Rt. Maj. Gen. J. C. Davis
Asst Commissioner State of Ky. to acknowledge
receipt of your communication of the 2d. Inst. ^{and}
in reply to inform you that your plan for the
re-organization of the Lexington Sub-Dist. is ap-
proved with some modifications.

Enclosed is a list of the Civilians who
you are authorized to retain in your Sub-District
and the amount of salary which will be paid
them: all other Civilians not named in this
list will be discharged by you on the last day of
this month.

The salaries of the Civilians retained, as
approved, will commence from the 1st of Aug
next. ^{and} you will notify all concerned to
that effect.

I also enclose a list of the Counties
comprising the Six Districts in your Sub-Dist.
under the new organization to take effect Aug 1. 1866
over

MAR 23 1871
You will issue the necessary orders in the case.

It will be observed that the highest price to be paid to Superintendents is \$100 pr Month the highest limit allowed by the amended bill passed by Congress re-organizing this Bureau.

I have the honor to be

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

John R. Johnston

Atty Genl. U.S.

Chief Supdt State of Ky.

Atty Genl. Johnston

Chief Supdt Lexington Sub West.

Lexington Ky.

Estimate of Amount of money required per month to
pay the Civilians (Supdts & Agents) and Clerks necessary
under the proposed re-organization of the Lexington Sub. Dist.

From (2) Clerks at Md. One Lex Sub District.
Office Rent

Dolls	Cts	Dolls	Cts
175	"		
40	"	215	"

1st District No Agents appointed
" Clerks "
Office Rent

15	"	15	"
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2nd District W^m J. Rice Agent
J W Finnell "
J W Read "
H R Montross Clerk
Office Rent

75	"		
75	"		
75	"		
75	"		
22	"	322	"

3 District No Agents appointed.
" " No Clerks appointed.
Office Rent

20	00	20	00
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		572	00
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		Ant Fund			
4 th District	H. C. Howard, Supt.	100	"		
	R. W. Hutchcraft, Agt.	75	"		
	J. I. Evans,	50	"		
	J. L. Bomar,	50	"		
	Geo. H. Gist,	75	"		
	Office Rent	23	50		
	W. H. Coyle, Clerk	75	"	448	50
5 th District	C. J. True, Supt.	100	"		
	J. M. Rogers, Agent	40	"		
	A. I. Jones,	40	"		
	Jas. B. True, Clerk	75	"		
	Office Rent	15	"	270	
6 th District	W. W. Rogers, Supt.	75	"		
	C. W. Van Bibber, Agent	40	"		
	W. A. Zeigler,	40	"		
	Office Rent	12	"	127	
				1447	50

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Bureau Refugees F. & A. S.
H. D. Dr. Dep Sub Dist
Lexington. July 25 '66

Johuston Bot Cold R. E.
Chief Supd. &c

States that he has this
day employed John W.
Bowen as clerk at a sal
ary of \$15⁰⁰ per month
that it is impossible for
one clerk to do the business
of that H. D. Dr

Recd Dist Cons offn 14 July 26 '66

Bureau Refugees F. & A. S.
Dist Cons Office State Ky.
Louisville. July 27

Respectfully returned to
Bot Cold R. E. Johuston - Chief Supd.
Dep Sub Dist approved.

By order Bot M. A. Genl
Jeff. C. Davis
Asst Commissioner

Blumley
Bot Brig Genl. USA
Chief Supd. &c

Exd 659
Recd back L. S. & Ky 26/66

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., July 28th 1866

Out Brig Genl John Ely
Chf Supt Dist Ky
Louisville Ky

Genl

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day employed Mr John W Bourne as Clerk in this office at a salary of \$75 per month

I find it to be utterly impossible for one clerk to transact the business of these head quarters.

I am Genl

Very Respectfully

Your obt Servt

~~R. S. Johnston~~

Bot Col U.S.V. Lt Col V.R.C.

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

PR F & A L

Magno 1st Dist

Sanville Aug 26. /66.

Gourne H R

Sept 1st Dist

Transmits "Account
Current for Aug 1866.

(1 Encl)

Recd L S R Aug 28/66

NARA 237
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., July 26th 1866.

Brvt Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lux Sub Dist
Colonel,

I have the honor to transmit
herewith Account Current for July 1866. I have
not been instructed where to forward it since
the change made in ^{the} Department, but suppose
I should not send to Nashville.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt

W. H. Bourne

Capt. 2d Regt. V. B. L.

Post. Major A. S. C.

13 R R + a L

Ad pro 1st Dist

Sanville N.Y. July 26. 1866

Gourne Capt M R

Sept 1st Dist

Transmits Return of C M
Property in his hands for
July 1866.

Recd L S R July 28 / 66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., July 26th 1866.

Respectable Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub. Dist.
Colonel.

I have the honor to transmit herewith Returns for L. M. Property in my hands during the month of July 1866. I have also included property bought at Carrollton for use in the 7th Dist. which has never been borne upon previous returns, because the receipts were not received when previous returns were forwarded.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

W. R. Bourne Capt. 7th U. S. Col.

Prov. Major U. S. A.

NARA 240
B R F & A Lads

Nd Qro 1st Dist

Danville Ky July 26. /66

Bourne Capt N R

Sept 1st Dist

States that he has
a supply of Stationery
sufficient to last for
August 1866.

Recd L S W July 27. 1866

NARA 241
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., July 26th 1866
Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Alex. Sub. Dist.

Colonel,

I have the honor to
inform you that I have a supply of
Stationery sufficient to last during the month
of August.

Very Respectfully
Yours Alsd. Svt

W. R. Bourne Capt. U.S.A.

Ret. Maj. U.S.A. Sept. 1866

1488 242
B. R. F + a L.

Adm. No. 1st Div.

Hamville Ky Aug 26/66

Gourne Capt H R

Sept 1st Div.

Forwards his reports
due for Aug 1866.

Recd L S R Aug 27. 1866

WAR 243
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., July 26th 1866

Brvt Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lx. Sub. Dist
Colonel

I have the honor to trans-
mit herewith reports and returns due for
the month of July 1866,

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt. Servt.

W. R. Bourne Capt. U.S.A.
Bot. May, 'N.C. Sept. 1866.

NARR 344
B. R. F + A Lands
Md Co 1st Dist
Danville Ky May 26. 1866.

Goume Capt It R
Sept 1st Dist

Forwards Act for Rent
for May 1866.

Recd L S D May 27. 1866.

NARA 245
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., July 26th 1864.

Brevet Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub. Dist.
Colonel.

I have the honor to forward
account of money paid for rent of office
at Danville.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt.

W. R. Rouselet Capt. U.S.A.

Rev. Maj. N. S. V. Supt. &c.

Bureau R. F. & A.
Hqs 9th Dist. Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky.
July 26th 1866

Graham Geo. S.
Lt Col. Supst

^r
Forwards monthly reports
and vouchers for month of
July 1866

Recd L S D Inq 27/66

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Bureau H. F. & A. L.
Hqs 9th Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky. July 26th 1866

Bvt Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt Lexington Sub Dist

Colonel

I have the honor
to enclose herewith Monthly Returns and vouchers
for month of July 1866

I am Sir

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Wm. Shraham

St Albans

NA 248
Bureau R & a Lands
Supts Office & Dist
Cynthiana Ky July 22nd/66

Recd. J. W
Supt & Dist

Transmits Reports for
July 1866.

Recd L S De Ing 29. 1866.

WAR 249
Bureau R F & A Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist L S D
Cynthiana Ky July 26th 1866

Br- Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L S D

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit here with my Reports
for the Month of July 1866.

Owing to a failure in the Mails I have been
unable to receive any Reports from Pendleton Co
therefore you will find my own to be very limited

I am Colonel
Very Respectfully

your obs Servant
J. W. Read
Supt 8th Dist L S D

NARA 25A
Bureau R 47 a Lands
Supts Office & Dist L S S
Cynthiana July 26th 1866

Recd. J. W.
Supt & "Dist

Reports that the school
in his Dist was discon-
tinued on Aug 1st until
Sept 1st 1866.

Recd L S D Aug 27 1866.

NR 251
Bureau R F & A Lands
Supts Office 8th Dist - L S D
Cynthiana Ky July 26th 1866

Brvt Col R E Johnston
Chief Supt L S D

Colonel

I have the honor to inform there is no school
in the 8th Dist at this time on the 1st of July the
School was discontinued until Sept 1st -
therefore I have made no School Report -

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
J W. Read
Supt - 8th Dist S S D

B R F + a L

Supts Office 8th Dist

Lynchburg, Va. Aug 26/66.

Recd J. H

Supts

Report of condition of
his district.

Recd W S H Aug 27. 1866.

NARA 253
Bureau R F & A Lands
Supts Office & Dist L S S
Cynthiana Ky July 26th 1866

But Col R. E. Johnston }
Chief Supt L. S. S. }

Colonel

You will see from My reports that but little business has been done this month. that is owing to the farmers all being engaged in harvesting. Many of the Colored Persons who have business to attend^d desire postponing it as they cannot loose the time during so busy a season.

I have succeeded in settling some few cases by writing a note to the whites and at the same time advising the Negroes to make a compromise and in most cases every thing was settled very satisfactory. Three cases where I was able to procure white testimony I got the Civil ~~and~~ authorities to ~~pass~~ adjudicate them. There are two remaining for this month without white testimony. The Colored Persons desired to wait during the busy season.

I fear there is going to be a great deal of trouble with those who failed to have their contracts recorded. In fact I hear of some already who deny promising the amount claimed by the Blacks. Many of the opponents to the Bureau utterly refused to record ~~any~~ contract and also forbid their hands coming to the Bureau with the threat of discharging them. This they did in my opinion to enable them to take advantage of the ignorance and will be shown when they come to make a settlement. I anticipate many cases of this kind from what I can see and hear as the season is drawing to a close.

In some instances those that have contracts recorded ~~are~~ seem to be trying to get the Negro to violate it by leaving before its expiration in doing this they employ various means such as threats of violence, also making themselves as disagreeable as possible.

Some few go so far as to order a hand off for the most trifling causes such as failing to be at home on the Sabbath to attend to stock &c &c by getting them to leave in this way they no doubt hope to get the services already rendered for nothing.

Colonel I do not send this as an Official
report. I give it as my candid opinion believing
as I do that it is the purpose of a great many
Farmers to defend their hands when they settle
with them.

I cannot see much chance for the Negro to get
any Protection from Civil authority here as they are sure
to put Returned Rebel Soldiers in to fill all the County
Offices this next election with but few exceptions.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

J. W. Read

Supt 8th Dist

Depot Q M office
Jeffersonville Ind

July 26th 1866.

Rutherford R C
Coe and Depot Q M.

Encloses Transfer ^{Papa for Q M} ~~Stoves~~ ^{for}
transferred on 23 Inst.

Recd To S R Inst 28 1866.

WAR 257
Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., July 26th 1866.

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston, V.R.C.
Chief Supt. Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Lexington, Kentucky.

Colonel:

Enclosed please find transfer papers for
Quartermaster Stores transferred to you on the
23rd inst from this Depot as per your
requisitions received at this office July 20th,
1866.

On receipt of the articles specified
please sign and return receipts to Capt.
J. H. Belcher, a.g.m. under cover to this
office.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant

R. C. Butterford

Colonel and Depot Qr. M.

MAILED 258
Bureau R. F. & ad
H. Q. 9th Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
July 27th 1866

Graham Geo. L.
St. V. Relief.

Requests that one or more
commissioned officers and
privates be ordered to
report to him for duty

Recd L S D Aug 28 1866.

1 Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Head qrs 9th Dist. Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky. July 27th 1866.

1 Bvt Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub Dist
Colonel

I have the honor
to request you to order one non commissioned
Officer and ten privates to report to me as
soon as practicable. I have made arrangements
with the Quarter Master in Cincinnati to
furnish me whatever Tent &c I may require
I would like if possible to have the men here
on Monday 30th Inst.

Please notify me by what train I may expect
the men in order to enable me to have everything
arranged on their arrival

I am Col
Very respectfully,
Yours Obedt Servt.
Wm. S. Graham
St Wills Supt

Louisville Ky
July 28. 1866.

Ely. John

Telegram
to Coe John Tas.

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No. 1.]

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To Col Robt O Johnston
LX
From Louisville Dated 28
Rec'd Jul 28 1866 1225 PM

State my bill passed four (4)
remitted Veteran Reserve June here
on evening train

15 L 68 pr

John Oley

first word subject to correction

B R F & A L

Sup'ts office B Dist
Riches City Aug 28. 1866

Gen Geo H.
Sept 3rd Dist

Transmits reports for
July 1866.

Rec'd L S & A Aug 30/66

UNRECORDED
Dunaw Refugee Asylum & Lands
Office Supt 3^d Dist Sex sub Dist
Winchester Ky July 28/64

Col R E Johnson
Chf Supt Sex sub Dist
Lexington Ky
In

I have the honor to enclose,
herewith my return and report for month
of July 1864 with my accounts on abstract
B for postage on letters and envelopes also
on another enclosure Report of persons and
articles hired with vouchers &c with monthly
return of quartermasters stores received and
issued by me during the month ending 31st
July 1864. These reports should have been
made on the 26th Inst but I did not
receive returns from agents of the upper Counties
until to day. I am very respectfully
Yours obly servt
G H Gust

Supt

Ms. R F + A L
Supts office 3rd Dist
Winchester Ky Aug 30. 1866

Gish Geo H
Supt

Transmits his Reports
for Aug 1866.

Recd L S D Aug 1. 1866

WAR 265
Buman. Refugee Freedmen & Abandoned Lands
Office Supt 3^d Dist Lex Sub Dist
Winchester Ky July 30th 1866

Col R E Johnson
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky
Sir

I have the honor to transmit
herewith School report Buman Refugee Freedmen
and Abandoned Lands for month of July 1866
for 3^d Dist Lex Sub Dist.

In my monthly report of D B A F & A L
for present month I copied from former report
as teachers had then made no report.

During the present month one teacher has
ceased to teach. I cannot learn whether she
has abandoned the same or whether she intends
to resume after awhile as she is absent from
home.

I am very respectfully
Yours obt Servt
G. H. Galt

Supt

MAILED 266
Bureau Refugees. F. V. A. S.
Std. Cas. 1st Dist. Dep. Sub Dist
Mt Sterling Ky July 30th 1866

Howard H. Co.

Transmits Monthly Returns
for the month of July 1866
Monthly report of Receipts & Expenditures
Monthly report
Monthly School Report.
Forms No 2. & 23.

Vouchers

<u>H. C. Howard</u>	4.00
<u>H. C. Howard</u>	14.00.
<u>H. C. Howard</u>	5.25.
<u>H. C. Howard</u>	17.50.
<u>H. C. Howard</u>	145.00.
<u>John J. Coans</u>	50.00
<u>R. W. Henshcraft</u>	73.75.
<u>J. C. Bomar</u>	50.00.
<u>W. H. Boyle</u>	73.75.
<u>C. J. Glover</u>	8.50
<u>L. J. Mitchell</u>	15.00
<u>M. J. Ashby</u>	8.00.

Recd L S & Aug 1. 1866.

Bureau of Refugees Freedmen & Lands
 Old Cas 4th Dist Lee Subdis Ky
 Mount. Sterling Ky July 30th 1865

R. E. Johnston
 Prot. Col & Chf Sup't F.S.D.
 Lexington Ky Col.

I have the

honor to herewith transmit my Monthly returns and
 accompanying papers viz:

"Monthly Return of Receipts and Expenditures

Monthly Report.

Monthly School report.

Returns No. 2. and 23.

Vouchers (17 to 22) viz.

1	No 17	H. C. Howard	4.00.
2	" 17	H. C. Howard	14.00.
3	" 17	H. C. Howard	5.25.
4	" 20	H. C. Howard	17.50.
5	" 22	H. C. Howard	145.00.
6	" 22	John. J. Evans	50.00.

Over.

4.	No 22.	R. H. Hutchcraft	73.75-
8	" 22	J. S. Bomar	50.00.
9	" 22	W. W. Coyle	73.75.
10	" 22	E. J. Glover	8.50.
11	" 22	J. Mitchell	15.00.
12	" 22	M. L. Ashby	8.00.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

H. C. Howard

Supr. 4th Dis. L. & Sub Dis. Ky

MADE 249
Bureau Refugee I. & A. C. C.
Wa. Cus 4th Dist. I. & A. C. C.
W. Sterling July 30th 1866

Howard H. C.

Enclosed. Estimate for
the month of August 1866.
Stationery &c.

Recd L S & Aug 1 / 66.

Bureau Refugee Freedmen Ed. A. Lando
Head Quarters 4th Dist Lex Sat Dist
Mount. Sterling July 30th 1866

R. E. Johnston
Brvt Col & Chf Supt. Lex Sat Dist
Col.

Enclosed please
find Estimate of Stationery required for use of this
District, they are actually required as some of the
Agents are without Stationery,

Respectfully

M. C. Edwards

Supt. 4th Dist Lex Sat Dist

Libby

NARR 271
Estimate Stationing &c.
required by

H. L. Howard

Sept 4th Dist E. S. D.

For the month of August 1866

NARA 272

Estimate of Stationery &c required for the use
of Office Supt 4th Dist Lex Sct Dist Ct
for the Month of August 1866.

2 Two Office Desks.
2 Two Rooms 7th & 8th Paper
2 Two do Letter Paper.
500 Five Hundred Official Envelopes.
500 Five Hundred Letter do.
300 Three Hundred Contracts (the same as used at Wd Qu S. & D.)

H L Howard
Supt 4th Dist Lex Sct Dist Ct
7

Estimate of money &c
Required by

H. C. Howard

Sept. 4th Dec. 1840

For

August 1840

NARR 274

Continuation of Citations of B. agencies for the use
of Office Supt. 4th Dist Lex Sub Dis Dis Ky
for the month of July 1866.

2 Dms. Office Desks.
2 Dms. reams 7 1/2 Paper
2 Dms. reams Letter Paper
500 Five hundred Envelopes. official
500 Five hundred Envelopes Letter
300 Contracts (blanks the same as used by H. C. L. S. D.)

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist Lex Sub Dis Ky

B. R. F. & A. L.
 Ad Jrs 1st Dist
 Danville Ky July 31. 1866.

Gourne Capt H R
 Suft re

States that he transmitted
 no money to Gene El there
 being none on hand.

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Recd L S D Aug 2 1866.

NARA 276
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., July 31st 1866.

Brevet Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub. Dist.
Colonel,

I have the honor to
report that I have made the required return
called for in Circular No. 5 dated Louisville Ky.
July 23rd 1866, to Brevet Brig. Genl. John Ely,
and that I transmitted no money, there
being none on hand at this office.

Very Respectfully, Your Obedt. Servt.
W. R. Bourne Capt. &c.

Brig. Maj. M. S. Supt. &c.

B R F & A L

Sup't Office & Dist

Miches to Ky Aug 31. 1866.

Gist Geo H.

Sup't re

Reports following facts in the
Murder Case of Chas Martin (Coed)
by C. H. Johnson on 27th Oct in Clark
County Ky.

Johnson & deceased had an altercation
of words. Johnson snatched a gun
at deceased once or twice which
missed fire. Johnson informed Mr
James Martin (in whose employment
they both were) that the negro or him-
self had to leave. Martin replied
that the negro was the best hand he
could get and that he would arrange
matters between them. Johnson next day
followed the deed who was carrying
brick up a scaffold, and told him he
had to take back what he said. The
deed replied I have said nothing I know
of to take back, when Johnson shot &
killed him. Johnson was condemned
to be hung as a spy two years ago &
was pardoned by President Lincoln.

He was born & raised in Buckner
County & has doubtless made his
way there.

Recd L S D Aug 1. 1866.

MANA 278
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & Abandoned Lands
Office Supt 3d Dist Lex Sub Dist
Winchester Ky July 31st 1866

Col R E Johnson
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky
Sir

In my report of the affairs of the
Bureau for this Dist for the month of July 1866
I reported the murder of Chas Master of (Col) by
O E Johnson on the 27th Ult. in this County.

I also stated that I had a warrant issued for
his apprehension which was at the time in the
hands of the Sheriff. Up to this time he ^{has} eluded
the vigilance of the officers and is still at large.

As to day and my official connection
with your office I deem it my duty to advise
you of the fact and to give you such partic-
ulars of the transaction as I have been able
to gather as also the history of the murder.
The facts are as follows. On the evening before
the murder the Deacons & Johnson had an

altercation of words. Johnson repaired to the house
and got a gun & waited with it between the
house and Kitchen till the boy came out
when he did so he hailed him and said
now G-d a-m gun I intend to kill
you & emptied his gun at him one or
more times but it misfired. Soon after
this Mr Scam Martin (on whose employment
were both Johnson and the deceased) came
home when Johnson told him that either the
negro or himself had to leave there. - Martin
remarked that he did not care which -
that the negro was the best hand he could get
that he was pressed for hands and he wanted
to retain him until he was done building
his house and that he would arrange
matters between them &c. Johnson expressed
himself satisfied and they retired for the night.
In the morning Johnson told Mr Martin that
he was going away but would return
to breakfast - he did not return until
about one o'clock when he followed
the deceased who was carrying bricks
for the building up on the scaffold.

MARR 289

- approached him and told him he had
to take back what he had said - he replied
take back what? I have said nothing that
I know of to take back, when Johnson who
had his pistol all the time drawn & cocked
pointed to his breast and shot him dead.

Johnson is the same Johnson who some
two years ago was convicted by a court
martial and sentenced to be hung as a spy.

Our late Committed President Lincoln
pardoned him which pardon only reached
him a few hours before the time set for
his execution. He was born and raised
in Bracken County Ky and has doubtless
made his way to that County.

Would it not be well to advise the agents
there and elsewhere of the facts &c?

I am very respectfully
Yours obt servt
G W Gust Supt

NARA 291
Bureau Refugees F & A Lands.
Hd Gns 2^d Dist Lx Sub Dist
Lexington Ky. July 31. 1866.

Rice, J. W. Post L. Coal
Supt 2^d Dist

Transmits Monthly
Return of receipts & expenditures ^{and}
Monthly Report of B. R. F. & A. L. for the
month of July 1866. —

Reed L S Aug 3 1866.

NARA 282

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., July 31 1866

Col R. E. Johnston

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky.

Lexington Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith
my Monthly Return of receipts & expenditures for the 2^d Dist L.S.D.
in the month ending July 31st 1866. also Report of Bureau R.F.D.
for the same month.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully,

Yours Obdt-Servt.

James H. Allen

Post Lt-Col. regt Capt Vet Res Corps

Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist.

B. R. F. & A. L.

Left office 10 A.M.

Mayville N.Y. May 31. 1866.

Wm. C. J.

Left 10

Transmits his Reports
and Returns for May 1866.

Recd L. S. D. May 2. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 103 DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. July 31 1866.

Genl. Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt. Ex. Sub. Dist.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel.

I have the honor to transmit herewith the following Reports, Returns, Vouchers &c. for the month of July 1866.

Monthly Report Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
" Return Receipts & Expenditures
" School Reports. Return D. M. Stores
" Report of Persons & Articles Aided
Vouchers for Salary of Supt. Vouchers for Postage
" " " Clerk. " " Rent.

Statement of amt. of money forwarded to Act. Comm's Office.
The vouchers for Postage includes the amount expended for Annual Stamps.

Very Resp. Yours Obedt Servt
J. True
Supt.

WAR 225
B R F + A L
Supts office 10th Dist
Mayville N.Y. May 31. 1866

True L. J.
Supt re

States that he has this
day forwarded to Brig. Genl
John Ely \$63 $\frac{50}{100}$

Recd L. S. R. Aug 2 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 10th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. July 2nd 1866

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub. Dist.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel,

In compliance with instructions contained in Circular No. 11, I have the honor to inform you that I have this day forwarded to Br. Gen. T. M. Ely, Disbursing Officer, the Sum of Sixty three & $\frac{59}{100}$ Dollars.

Very Resp. Yours Obt. Supt.
J. True
Supt.

Barman R. J. & A. Sands
Head. On of Desk E. S. D.
Mount Fairbury Minn 1st Aug 1866

Harvard. H. C.
Sept. 4th 1866

Acknowledges receipt of
(3) Ltrs Desk. Complaints of
Condition.

August
1866

Recd L S D Aug 2/66

Bureau P. & A. Lands,
HD. QRS. 1TH DIST.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky., Aug 7th 1866.

R. E. Johnston

Bot. Col. & chf. Supt L. S. D
Col

I have the honor
to acknowledge the receipt of what
were originally (2) two Sleaks. both almost
a complete wreck. I will have them repaired
to answer the purpose. They are intended for,

Respectfully
A. B. Edwards
Supt

Johnston Robert B. E.
Chief Supt.

Forwarded vouchers in favor
of the following named persons.

George W. List	from March 5 to Aug 30. 1897.	\$1.50
J. W. Bead	May.	2.50
J. W. Bead	June.	3.00
J. W. Bead	July	3.00.
for postage.		

Received B. L. & L. a.
 At the Office State of Ky.
 Louisville Ky. Aug 10. 1866.

Respectfully returns to Col
 Wm. R. E. Johnston. Wif
 Capt. Livingston Sab. Dist with
 the information that the enclosed
 accounts should be used in
 triplicate.

By order of
Post Maj. Genl. J. B. Davis
Asst Comm. State of Ky
Blundell

Post Dir Genl U.S.A.
 Env. 761. Chief Capt.
 Recd L.S. H. May 14 1886.

NARA 299
B R F + A L

Ad Pro 12 Dist
Greenville Ky Aug 4 1866.

Rogers H H
Suft x

Transmits School Report
for July 1866.

Recd L S D Aug 7. 1866.

NARR 291
Bureau Refuges Freedmen. & A. L.
Supts Office 12th Dist S. S. Dist
Greensburg Ky Aug 4th 1866,

Sir

I herewith have the honor to transmit
my School Report for Bureau Refuges Freedmen
and Abandoned Lands for the month of July
1866—

Yours Very Respectfully
and obt servant
J. W. Rogers
Supt 12th Dist S. S. D. Ky

NARR 292
Bureau R F + A L
Supt Office 12th Dist L.S.D
Greenupburg Ky Aug 4/66

Rogers W W
Supt 12th Dist

Forwards Report B. R F A
A L. and Return of Receipts
and Expenditures for Aug. 66

Recd L S D Aug 7. 1866

MAILED 293
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A.L.
Superintendents Office 12th Dist L.S.D.
Greenspring Ky August 4th 1866

Sir

Herewith please find Report of Bureau
Refugee Freedmen and Abandoned Lands and
Return of Receipts and Expenditures for this
Dist for the month of July 1866

Yours Very Respectfully
and att. Servant
Wm. H. Rogers
Supt 12th Dist L.S.D. Ky

To

Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt 12th Dist
Lexington Ky

CHERRY 294

LOUISVILLE KY

Aug. 5th 1866.

Wm Falk

Capt 1st Regt Ky

for

Genl J. C. Davis.

Orders regarding the
movements of soldiers
during election day.

U. S. MILITARY TELEGRAPH.

Aug 5th 1866

By Telegraph from Louisville Ky 1865.

To Col Johnson

Capt Fredman Bu

During the hours of the
voting at the elections in this
state tomorrow the Soldiers will
be kept in their quarters
and will not be permitted
to interfere in any way
whatever in the elections

By Order of Brig Major Davis

Wm Dale
Capt & Co.

Bureau R F & Ad
Supts Office 12th Dist SSD
Greensburg Ky Aug 6th 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt - 12th Dist

Transm. h Report no 23
with account Current.

Recd L. S. D. Aug 9. 1866.

NARA 297
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A.L.
Supts Office 12th dist SLD
Greensburg Ky Aug 6th 1866

Sir

Herewith please find Form No 23 for Month
July 1866, please forward about same quantity
of Stationery (with about 75 letter envelopes additional)
as you shipped last month.

Also please find Form No 20 for Postage
which I have charged in account current
rendered chf G. Martin J. W. Marshall

Yours Very Respectfully
and obt. Servant

J. W. Rogers

Supts 12th Dist SLD Ky

To

Col R E Johnston
chf Supt B R F. & A.L.
Lexington Ky

NARA 298
Louisville Ky
Aug 10. 1866

Cdy Bn Brig Genl John
Chf Supt

Enclose duplicate
Invoices and Receipts of
Articles purchased for
use in Lex for 57g.

Recd L S D Aug 11 / 66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 18th 1866.

Wm. C. C. Johnston.
Chief Supt. - Lexington Sub-Dist
Lexington Ky.

Colonel:

I have the honor
to enclose herewith, Duplicate Invoices and Receipts
of Articles purchased for use in your Sub-
Dist.

Please sign Receipts and return to
this Office at your earliest convenience.

Yours, Colonel,
Very Respectfully,
Your Obt. Serv.

Wm. C. C. Johnston
Post Dir. Sub-Dist
Chief Supt. -

BRUCE R F + AL
Supt office 12th dist SSS
Greensburg Ky Aug^{10th} 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt - 12th dist

States that he has
made the correction on
his Return of "Receipts and
Expenditures" for July in
regard to \$12⁰⁰ for Rent.

13
Recd L S R No, 13/66

Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A.S.
Superintendent's Office 12th Dist S.D.
Greensburg Ky August 10th /66

Sir

In answer to your favor of the 7th inst I have made the correction of \$12.⁰⁰ for Rent in my Report of Receipts and Expenditures for July /66 leaving the balance \$56.⁰⁰ and in future shall obey instructions in regard thereto

The vouchers for J. L. Zeiglers Rent up to July 31st is correct, also the amount of Rent remitted for Allen Myers \$7.⁰⁰ for April, and Mrs Elkins \$16.⁰⁰ for May and June is correct - and the vouchers forwarded for Mrs Elkins Rent for July is correct.

In regard to the report called for in Circular No 11 and in obedience to Circular No 5 from Anti Slavery Commission's Office dated Louisville July 23rd /66. I have rendered this statement to Post Brig Genl Geo Ely as the disbursing officer B. R. F. & A. S. viz.

That I have consumed all of the fees of this office in order to enable me to conduct the business of the same, and in order to audit

NARA 303
my account the amount of the fees as recorded
in my account currents for Mch April May June and
July (after deducting expenditures) amounts to \$157.²⁵
should be taken from my salary for services of
Superintendent. I am just as sorry as any person
can be that I am not in funds sufficiently at-
present to comply with Circular No 5, and trust
that your kindness will excuse this report until
I am able to do better

Yours Very Respectfully
and off-servant
J. H. Rogers
Sept 12th Dist L.S.D. Ky

To
Col James H. Rice
acting chf Supt L.S.D. BR. Fr. AL
Lexington Ky

ARR 383
Louisville Ky
Aug 13. 1866.

City Art Brig Genl John
Chf Supt

Enclosed duplicate Invoices
and Receipts for Stationery
turned over on 10th inst.

Recd L S R Aug 14 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 13th 1866.

10 Oct 1864 A. E. Johnston.
Capt. James G. Smith - Wash.
James G. Smith - Ex.

Dir:

I have the honor
to enclose herewith duplicate Invoice
Receipts of Stationery turned over to you on
the 10th inst.

the LO ~~ask~~ - Please sign Receipts and
return them to the Office at your earliest
convenience. L. A. ...

Have the horses to be. Colours
have the best figures
from Gt. East.

Polurley

John Biggs Esq. A.S.S.
Chief Clerk State of Ky.

MADE 395
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Hd On 4th Dub 1801
W^m Fleming Ky Aug 13/66

Howard. H. L.
Supt.

Transmits the following
receipts.

G. C. Kniffin	No 43
J. L. Bomar	" 71
H. L. Howard	" 56
M. Q. Ashby	" 75
C. J. Glover.	" 54
W. W. Cuyler	" 55
John. J. Evans	" 57
John J. Courser.	" 58

Recd L. S. A. Aug 15/66.

Bureau Refugees Freedmen & A.S.
Adm Div 4th Dist Lex S. D.
Mount Sterling Ky Aug 13 1866

R. E. Johnston
Prot. Col. & Chf. Supt. L. S. D.
Lexington Ky
Col.

I have the honor
to herewith transmit the following Receipts for
Checks forwarded by Prot. Maj. G. W. Marshall.
A. C. M. Mackrillo Duv.

G. C. Kniffin No 43	A. J. Glover. No 54
J. L. Roman " 71	W. W. Boyle " 55
H. C. Howard. 56	John J. Evans. " 57.
M. A. Ashby " 75	John J. Coans " 58.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

H. C. Howard
Supt. & Dir

19. P. F. & A. L.

Agto Office 2^d Dist L.S.D.

Versailles Ky Aug 13/66

Read J. W.

States he has rented
a room for an office
at \$5 = per mo from Mr
Berry Craig.

Ask for a desk and
two or three Chairs.

Versailles Ky

Aug. 13th 1866

Br^{ly} Col. J. H. Rice
acting Chief Supt

Colonel

I have the honor to inform you that I have
Rented a good Room for an office for \$5⁰⁰
per month. it belongs to Berry Craig.

it is not furnished. please send me a
Desk and two or three chairs

I am Colonel Very Respectfully

Your obt Servant
J. W. Read

B R F + A L

Apt. Comm. office Ky
Somerville Ky 14. 1866.

By J. M. Dwyer Genl Insp
Chf Supt re

Transmits "Blank Checks"
to be taken by all Civilian
Supts. Clerks re.

Recd L S D May 15 1866.

NARA 310

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. August 14th 1866.

Brig Genl R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brig Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis, Assistant Commissioner, State of Kentucky, to transmit herewith, blank "Oaths of Office", which is required to be taken by all civilians (Supts, Agents & clerks) in the employ of this Bureau.

You will cause all civilians under your charge to take the oath before some person duly authorized to administer the same, and forward it through your Head Quarters to this Office with as little delay as possible, with the proper revenue stamp affixed thereto.

This is in accordance with the requirements of the law establishing this Bureau.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

John C. Kelly

Brig Genl U. S. Col.

Chief Supt &c

J. 131. 1866

Lexington Ky.
Aug 14 1866

Johnston R. E.
Bt Cal. Chief Supt

Request to know
who purchased the
following articles
invoiced to him Aug 1
1866.

1 Map of Ky

1 Office Desk

1 stove & pipe

Recd Ans Cons Off Ky Aug 15th 1866

Bureau Refugee Gen A. Lands,
Asst Comm Office, State of Ky,
Louisville Aug 16th 1866.

Respectfully returned to Post
Col R. E. Johnston Chief Supt
Lexington Ky. with the infor-
mation that the "Map" was
purchased by Capt W. R. Bourne,
Supt 1st Dist, - the Office Desk by
D. J. Overly (late Supt 11th Dist,) and
turned over to H. b. Howard 4th Dist,
and the stove and pipe was
purchased by H. b. Howard Supt
4th Dist.

By Order of Post Maj Gen Jeff b. Davis
Asst Comm State of Ky.

John S. Sully

Post Brig Genl U. S. A. Chief-Supt,
Ed 780. 66

Recd back L S S Ky 17/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Aug 14 1866

Gt Brig Genl John Ely
Chf Supt
General.

I have the honor to
ask that you inform me who made
purchases of the following articles
invented to me on Aug 1. 1866. viz

- 1 Map of Kentucky
- 1 Office Desk
- 1 Office Store and Pipe.

I am General
Very Respectfully
Yours Obt Servant

A. E. Johnston
Brig Col U.S.V. Lt Col U.S.A.
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dst.

B R F + a L

Md Geo 2^d Dist LfD.
Lexington Ky Aug 14. 1866.

Rice Geo H.

Govt Lt Col + Genl

Asks that an Order
may be issued directing
Hm F Rice Agent to
proceed to Lancaster Ky
on official Business.

Recd LfD Aug 14/66.

BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Aug 14th 1866

At Col R E Johnston.

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist of Ky.

Lexington Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to request that an order be issued from your Head Quarters Lex Sub Dist, directing W. H. Rice dgt for Jussaminend Garard Counties Ky, to proceed to Lancaster Ky on Wednesday August 15th 1866. on official business connected with freedmen Schools.

Very Respectfully

Truly Obedt Servt.

James A. Ken

At Lt Col W. Capt V.R.C

Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist.

NARA 315
Lexington Ky
Aug 15. 1866.

Gutter James
1st Lt 2nd U S Infy &c

Notes that he may
have the services of the
3 Men on duty at Hd Qrs
Lexington, as he has not
a sufficient number of
Men present for duty as
guards &c.

Recd L S A Aug 15 1866.

Lexington, Kentucky
August 15th 1860.

Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chf. Supt. of B.R. Fed. U. S.
Lexington Sub-District
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel,

You will greatly
Oblige by letting me have the services of the Three
enlisted men which were ordered to report to you
for duty, as soon as their services can be
dispensed with, as I have not a sufficient
number of men present for duty as guard, as
the remainder are recruits who have not as yet
been furnished with their equipments and cloth-
ing suitable for said duty, and as I am unable
at the present to fully equip them owing to the
arms &c - not having been forwarded from the
proper quarters, but daily expect them. —
The guard which I have left are

NARA 317
getting only one night in bed, which is
very irksome —

I am

Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

James Butler
1st Lieut 2d U. S. Infantry
Commanding Post.

NARA 318
Lawville Ky
Aug 25. 1866.

Gourne Capt N R
Capt 1st Dist

Forwarded monthly Reports
re

Recd L S A Aug 25 /66

NARA 319

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., August 25th 1866.

Brevet Col. R. E. Lohrston
Chief of the Lex. Sub. District
Colonel.

I have the honor to transmit
herewith such reports as I am enabled to furnish.
The local school reports are not yet recd. and I
cannot as yet complete that report.

There is a sufficient quantity of stationery at
this office to last during the month of September.

Very Respectfully

Yours Ably Servt

W. R. Monroe Capt. W. R. R.

Act. Maj. M. S. R. Sept. 7th

NARA 32A
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts Office C. L. Dist S. A. D.
Aug 20th
Greensburg, Ky. 1866

Rogers, W. W.
Supt C. L. Dist

Calls attention to his
Estimate for office
Furniture of May 21. /66.

Recd L. S. D. May 3 3/66

NARA 321
Bureau Refuges Freedmen and A.L.
Superintendents Office 6th Dist S & SD
Greensburg Ky Aug 20th 1866.

Sir

I most respectfully refer you to my estimate
made for Office Furniture and Stationery necessary
to conduct the business of this office of May 21st /66
of which I herewith forward schedule

Two (2) Desks

one (1) Marriage License Record Book

one (1) Contract " "

one (1) Indenture " "

Two (2) Rules

Six (6) Office chairs

hoping to hear from you at your earliest
convenience in regard to this

I am Res

To

Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt B R F & A L
Lexington Ky

Very Respectfully yours, obt. Serv
Wm. W. Rogers Supt
6th Dist Sub Dist of Ky

MA 322
Bureau R. H. & Ad
Supts Office 6th Dist L.S.D.
Greenwich Ky Aug 25th 1866

Rogers. W. W.
Supt 6th Dist

Acknowledges receipt of
24 Blank No 22

Recd L.S.D. No 27. / 66

MAILED 323
Bureau Refugee Freedmen and A.L.
Superintendents Office 6th Dist S.D.
Greensburg Ky Aug 25th 1866

Sir

I am in receipt of your favor of
the 22nd inst enclosing 24 Blank Forms
No 22 for which please accept thanks

Yours Very Respectfully
and Obed Servant

Wm H Rogers Supt 6th Dist
Lex Sub Dist of Ky

To

Col. R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt - Bureau R.F. & A.
Six Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

NARA 324
Bureau H, F & Ad
Hd Qrs 3^d - Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky.
Aug^t 26th 1865

Enclaved
Lt 9166 Sept

Forwards monthly Returns
and Vouchers for month
of August 1865

Recd LS Aug 27 1865.

1 Bureau R. H. & Ad

H. A. J. 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky, August 26th 1866.

1 Bro. Col R. E. Johnston

Chief Supt. Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Colonel

I have the honor to
forward herewith monthly Returns and vouchers for
month of August 1866.

I am, Col

Very respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt.

Wm. L. Graham

Lt Col Supt.

NARA 326
Bureau R F & A L
Supts Office 6th dist SSW
Green Springs Ky Aug 27th/66

Rogers W. W.
Supt 6th dist

Transmits Vouchers
with form No 2. for
Aug 1866.

Recd L S A Sept 1. 1866

NARA 827
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A.
Superintendents Office 6th Dist SLD
Greensburg Ky August 27th 1866

Sir

I herewith have the honor to transmit
my Form N^o 2 (together with Vouchers) for the
month of August 1866, and would most respectfully
ask the accounts paid at earliest convenience as
my agents and myself are greatly in need of
funds -

Yours Very Respectfully
and obedient Servant
Wm J. Rogers
Supt 6th Dist Subd of Ky

To

Col. R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt BR Fort A
Lexington Ky

NARA 328

Danville Ky
Aug. 27. 1866.

Gurnee. Capt N R
Sept 1st Disch

Transmits remaining
reports due from his
office for Aug 1866.

Rec - L S D Aug 29. 1866.

NARA 329

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Aug 27th 1866.

Brevet Col. R. E. Lohrston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub. Dist.
Colonel.

I have the honor to transmit herewith the remaining reports due from this office for the month of August.

Very Respectfully,
Wm. A. Ruffly, Asst. Supt.
V. M. Pomeroy, Asst. Supt.
Rt. Maj. N. H. Supt.

NARA 339
Louisville Ky
Aug 27. 1866.

Mar's Map Gene Lef ©
by Burnett Levi &
a a a Gene

Directs that communication
from Chief Q Master be
directed to Map Gene
A. A. Howard &

Recd L. S. D. Aug 28/66

NARA 331

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., August 27th 1866.

Dear Col R. E. Johnston.
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky.

Colonel.

I am directed by Brig Gen Jeff B. Davis Asst Comm
State of Kentucky, to instruct you, that when you have occasion
to forward communications direct to the Chief Quartermaster
Bureau R. F. A. L. Washington D. C. to address the envelopes to
"Major General O. O. Howard, Commissioner Bureau R. F. A. L. Washington
D. C." and mark on the corner of the envelope "To the Chief
Quartermaster."

Unless addressed as above, the Bureau has to pay postage
on them.

Please instruct all commissioned officers on duty in this
Bureau, in your Sub-District, to comply with the above
instructions.

I am, very respectfully.

Your Obedient Servant.

Levi F. Burnett.

Lieut. & R. F. A. A. A. Genl.

NARA 332

Bryan R. F. & A. L.
Supts Office 6th Dist. S.S.
Greensburg Ky Aug 27th 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt 6th Dist

Transmits Monthly Report
of B. A. F. & A. L. and
Return of Receipts & Expenditures.

Rec'd L. S. R. May 29. 1866

1866 333
Bureau Refugee Freedmen and Ad.
Superintendents Office 6th dist S. S. D.
Greensburg Ky. Aug 27th 1866

Sir

I have the honor to herewith transmit my
Monthly Report of Bureau Refugee Freedmen and
abandoned Lands, and Monthly Return of Receipts
and expenditures for the month of August 1866.

Yours Very Respectfully
and Obedt Servant
Wm. W. Rogers Supt 6th Dist
S. S. D. of Ky

To

Col R. E. Johnston
Chf. Supt B R F & Ad
Lexington Ky

NARA 334
Bureau R H & Ad
Supts Office 6th dist L.S.D.
Greenupburg Ky Aug 28th 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt 6th dist

Transmits School
Reports for Aug 1866.

Recd L.S.D. Sept 1. 1866

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Bureau Refugees Freedmen and A.L.
Superintendents Office 6th Dist S.D.,
Greensburg Ky Aug 28th 1866

Sir

I herewith have the honor to transmit to
you The School Report to Bureau Refugees
Freedmen and Abandoned Lands 6th Dist S.D.
Sub Dist of Ky for the month of August 1866

Yours Very Respectfully
and Obedt. Servant
Wm. H. Rogers

Supt 6th Dist S.D. Sub Dist

To

Col R. E. Johnston
Chf. Supt. B. R. F. & A. L.
S.D. Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky

NARA 336
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts Office 6th Dist. S.D.
Greenwich Aug 28th 1866

Rogers W. W.
Supt 6th Dist

Transmits Form No
23 for Aug 1866.

Recd L. S. D. Sept 1. 1866

NARA 337
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A.L.
Superintendents Office 6th Dist S.S.D.
Greensburg Ky Aug 28th 1866

Sir

I herewith have the honor to transmit to
you Form No 23 for the month of August 1866

I am about out of Stationery except a few
sheets of fools cap, and would be glad if you
would forward to me some Letter & fools cap paper
and Official Envelopes and a few letter Envelopes
and oblige

Yours Very Respectfully

J. W. Rogers

Supt 6th Dist Lex Sct Dist Ky

To
Col. R. E. Johnston
chf Supt B R F & A L
Lexington Ky

MA 339
Danville Ky
Aug 28. 1866.

Gourne left N R
Sept 1st Dist

Returns Corrected Copy
of Return of Receipts
and Expenditures

Recd L S D Aug 24/66

NARA 339

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., August 28th 1866.

Mt. Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub-Dist.

Colonel,

I have the honor to return
corrected copy of report of Receipts & Expenditures
for month of August.

The other report was made similar to
all others from this office and I believed it
to be correct, when sent. I understand that
all money recd. by me should be transmitted
direct to Genl. Ely. and not expended for
any purpose by me.

Very Respectfully
Yr Obedt Servt

W. R. Bowie Capt. A. S. C.
Rt. Maj. A. S. C.

NARR 340
Camp Nelson Ky
Aug 28th 1866.

Schofield A.

In relation to collecting
Claims of Colored Soldiers.
to

Recd L.S.D. Aug 29/66

NARA 341
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Aug 27th 1866

Mr A Schofield
Camp Nelson Ky
Sir

I have the honor to respectfully request whether you have in your possession "Power of Attorney to receipt for moneys or Certificates of ~~Moneys~~ issued in satisfaction of claim for bounty" which have been left in your hands for collection by discharged Colored Soldiers.

Very Respectfully
Your obt servant

C. E. Johnston
Acting Asst. Dir. of the B. & O.
Chf Asst Lex. Sub-Dist.

NARA 342

Respectfully returned, with the
information that I have a regular license
as "claim agent" - Each claimant gives to me
a power of attorney - "~~inexorable~~" to prosecute his claim
- "and to receive and Receipt for any draft
or drafts, certificate or certificates" which may issue
to them. These of course go with the application to
the Second Auditor - quite a number of these claims
have been forwarded by me to the 2^d Auditor

7-
been examined and admitted by him and
the acceptance sent to me, with promise of certificates
of amt soon as ascertained. These certificates I
am now expecting - When they come, I shall be
grateful for any information you may give me
in the payment and final settlement of these
claims that the full intent of these poor
people may be secured.

Respectfully

A. Seefeld
Mipimany

P.S. We contemplate establishing
a permanent School here for the red men.
Can we rely upon you for protection? -

NARR 343

Danville Ky

May 28. 1866.

Gourne Capt N R

Capt 1st Dist.

Reports that a building
used as a Freedmens
School House owned by
Jackson Davis (Cred) was
burned in Danville Ky on
the night of May 27th.
Has been unable to learn
who were engaged in the
outrage. Hopes in another report
to give full information.
Asks for instructions.

Reco L S D May 29. 1866

NARA 344

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., August 28th 1866.

Res't Colonel R. E. Lohrton

Chief Supt. Lex. Sub. Dist.

Colonel.

I have the honor to report that a building built and used as a Freedman's School-house and owned by a Freedman named Jackson Davis, was destroyed by fire last night, in this town.

I have to-day instituted inquiries but have been unable to learn who were engaged in this outrage. There had been considerable excitement during the day, caused by the arrest of a Freedman charged with poisoning a man; during the evening this man and three others escaped from the jail, which added to the excitement, and probably

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led to the perpetration of the outrage. At present
I can merely inform you of the facts but hope
in another report to give fuller information.
The building was probably worth about \$250.00
Will you please advise me what steps to take
in this case.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt Servt.

W. C. Bourne Capt. U.S.A.

Post. Maj. N. S. Hobbs, Supt. 7^e.

MASS 347
Ruman R. F. H. M. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. S. D.
Wayville Ky. Aug 28th 66

Tru C. J. Supt

Transmits Reports,
Returns &c for the month of
August 1866

Recd 25th Sept 1866

Bureau R. F. W. AL
Supt's Office 5th Dist LSA
Waysville, Ky. Aug 28th 1866

For Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt LSA
Lexington Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit (enclosed herewith)
the following Reports, Returns &c for the month of Aug.
Monthly Report of Bureau R. F. W. AL
" Return of Receipts & Expenditures.
" " " L. M. Stores.
" Report of Persons & Articles hired.
Vouchers for Salary of C. J. True Supt 5th Dist
" " " " J. D. True Clerk
" " " " A. D. Jones Agt Bracken Co
" " " " Package
" " " " Rent of Office.
Six Indentures in addition to those reported
were made by J. M. Rogers Agent for Flemming Co

which he trusted out. I have instructed him to collect
the amount due, and to discontinue the credit business.
Under the circumstances I thought it best not to report
them until the fees were collected. On account of the
suspension of Freedmen's Schools. No report is made this
month.

Very Respectfully,

Saml. J. True
Supt.

NARA 35A

Louville Ky
Aug 29. 1866.

Louis Map Gene Lef C
by Burnett Leri F
a w aken.

States that receipts are
only wanted for (3)
Guire's Note Paper in
place of (10).

Recr L S A Aug 30/66

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Aug. 29. 1866.

1. Gift book L. E. Johnston
 Lt. Capt. - Livingston Sub. Dist.
 Livingston Co. N. Y.
 Colonel: J.

I have enclosed the Receipts signed
by you to Chao (3), please.

Shao @ The honor to be Colonel
Very Respectfully
Yours obt. Serv.
Henry L. Burdett

Levi L. Burnett.
Lieut H H and Agent.

Ms. A. 9. 2. 52
Held On 4th Dist. L. S. D.
Mount Sterling Aug 19/66

Howard H. C.

Transmits the following
receipts

H. C. Howard

M. A. Ashby

John. J. Evans

J. L. Bimar

H. C. Howard

J. Mitchell

R. W. Hutchcraft

C. J. Glover

W. W. Coyle

9 Enc

Recd L. S. D. Aug 30/66

B. R. J. Ind B. D.
Hed Cus 4th Dist L.S.D.
Mount Sterling Ky Aug 29th 1866

R. E. Johnston
B. R. J. Ind B. D.
L.S.D.
Longtin Ky

I have the honor
to hereby transmit you the following Receipts
of Checks, viz

H. C. Howard	chk no 17	\$145.00.
M. C. Ashby	" " 34	8.00.
John J. Evans	" " 16	50.00.
J. L. Boman	" " 13	50.00
H. C. Howard	" " 67	23.25.
Jo. Mitchell	" " 53	49.00.
R. W. Hutchcraft	" " 15	73.75.
C. J. Glover	" " 40	8.50.
W. W. Coyle	" " 14	73.75.

Very Respectfully
Your Obed Servt
H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist

10 R 7th A.L.
Sta Cas 4th Dist S.S.D.
Mr Farling Aug 29th 66.

Howard H. C.

Asks that Corporal Guss
be relieved from Command
of Squad at this place
and that a good man be
sent in his place, also
for (2) two Soldiers more
to take the place of privates
McCormack & Pogue of
same Comp D 2nd W.S.I.

Recd L.S.D. Aug 30/66

Bureau R. & A. Lands,

HID. QRS. 1TH DIST.,

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Aug 29th 1866.

Col R. H. Johnson

Dear Sir

I respectfully ask that
 Corporal Gauss be relieved from command
 of the Small Squad of Company D. 2^d M. S. Inf
 stationed at this Hd Qrs. (he is too fond of Whiskey)
 Send me a sober and discreet man in his
 place, also 2 soldiers in place of Privates Mc Cormac
 and Pogue.

I am Col of your obt servt
 H. B. Howard

NARA 356
Lynchiana Ky
Aug 29. 1866

Jones Rott

States that he considers
Rott Kimbrough a loyal
man

Recd L S D Aug 30/66

Cynthiana Aug²⁹. 1864

Col. R. E. Johnson

Sir

I have the honor to say
in reply to yours of yesterday that Robert
Himbrough of this County was loyal in
October 1862 and has been considered
loyal since, we thought he committed
a great error in voting for McClennon
in 1864, but throughout the War he acted
with the Union men.

Very Respy
Robert Jones

NARA 358
Bureau Re. 1st & 2nd C. L.
Supt's Office 5th Dist. L. S. A.
Maysville. Ky. 2nd Aug. 30th 66
Sept 1-2

True C. J. Supt

Transmits Claims for
Bounty of Disch'd Colored
Soldiers.

Recd L S A Sept 2 / 66.

NARA 359

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, *FD* DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky.

Aug 30th

1866.

Prof Maj Wm Forster A. A. G.
Washington D. C.

Major

I have the honor to enclose herewith the
Claims for Bounty, of the following named disch^d Soldiers

Willis Lawson	Private	Co "I"	13 th	Heavy Artij.
George Robinson	"	" "G"	13 th	" "
Norace Pordling	"	" "I"	13 th	" "
Eli Baldwin	"	" "I"	100 th	Regt Inf
Robt Moulton	"	" "I"	100 th	" "
Ed Kennet	"	" "G"	109 th	" "
Morgan Davis	Corpl	" "D"	100 th	" "

Very Respectfully,

Genl. O. J. Lunt.

J. True
Supt

NARR 360
Danville Ky
Aug 31. 1866.

Bowme left N R
Sept 1st Dist

States that Henry Shelly
Coca has no property
Will find the money as
soon as collected

Recd L.S.A. Sept 1 1866

NARR 361
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., August 31st 1866.

Brut Colonel, R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub. Dist.,
Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your communication dated Aug 28th 66
in relation accounts against Henry Shelby.
and asking what steps I have taken. In reply I have
to state that Henry Shelby has no property from
which the sum can be made, and I cannot collect
the money until he can earn it. I have to day
seen his father and urged him to pay the accounts
and think he will within a few days. I will forward
as soon as collected, which I hope will be tomorrow.

Very Resp^{ly}, Your Obedt. Servt
W. R. Rouse Capt. W. R. R.
Maj. W. R. R. Supt. 4th

B R. J. and A. B.
Std Cn 4th Dist L. S. D.
Mr Sterling By Aug 31st 66

Howard. H. C.
Supt.

Enclosed Estimate of
Stationery required for
this District for the month
of September 1866

Recd L S D Sept 1/66

Bureau B. F. and A. Lands,
HID. QRS. 1TH DIST.
McC Sterling, Ky., Aug 31st 1866

Col. R. E. Johnson
Capt. Lee Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Col

I have the
honor to herewith enclose you my Estimate
of Stationery required for this district for
the month of September 1866.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.

M. C. Howard
Capt 4th Dist
L. S. D.

10 R. 21 & A. L.
Hd. Cr. 4th Dist L.S.D.
Mr. Sterling Ky Aug 27/66

Howard St. L.
Sept

Estimate of Stationery
Required for the 4th Dist
L.S.D. for the month of
September 1866

Estimate of Stationery required by H. C.
Howard Supt. 4th Dist Tex Sub Dist
Bureau Refugee Freedmen and Abandoned Lands.
Head Qrs. M^o J^o for the Month of September
1866 -

- (2) Two Reams J. C. Paper
- (2) Two do Letter Paper
- (3) Two Quire Envelope Paper.
- (500) Five Hundred Official Envelopes.
- (500) Five Hundred Letter do.
- (10) Ten Pieces Office Paper.
- (200) Two Hundred Blank Contracts
- (1) One 4 Quire Blank Book Letters Received
- (1) One 4 do do do Letter Sent.
- (1) One 4 do do do Endorsement Book.
- (2) Two. Quire each Forms 22. & 40. 2 M^o Sept.

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist Tex

Bureau R & V A B
Adm On 4th Inst L.S.D?
Mr Furling By Aug 31st 1866

Howard H B Co
Supr

Transmits monthly returns
On August 1866. with
Vouchers &c.

Items No 2 + 23.

H.C. Howard	\$13.50
H.C. Howard	97.50
Geo. W. Rust	73.75
John J. Evans	50.00
R. W. Hutchcraft	73.75
J. L. Bonnar.	50.00
W. W. Gyle	73.75
Jo. Mitchell	15.00
M. A. Ghyby	8.00
E. J. Glover	8.50
Abner Baxter	7.00

Recd L.S.D Sept 1. 1866.

MAILED 357
Bureau Refugee Department & A B
Sd Chas H^d Dist Lst Sub Dist
Mt Sterling Ky Aug 31st 1866

R. E. Johnston

Brvt Col & Adj^t Lst Sub Dist

Lexington Ky Col.

I have the honor to transmit
herewith my Returns for the Month of August 1866.
with accompanying Forms & Vouchers.

Forms No 2. & 23,

1	Voucher Form No 20.	H. C. Howard	\$13.50
1	"	" 22 H. C. Howard	97.50.
2	"	" 22 Geo W. Gist	73.75.
3	"	" 22 John J. Evans	50.00.
4	"	" 22 R. W. Hatchcraft	73.75
5	"	" 22 J. L. Bomar	50.00.
6	"	" 22 W. H. Coyle	73.75.
7	"	" 22 Jo. Mitchell	15.00
8	"	" 22 M. G. Ashby	8.00.
9	"	" 22 C. J. Glover	8.50.
10	"	" 22 Abner Baxter	7.00.

I am Col very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist.

Lexington Ky
Aug 31. 1866.

Rice Jas H.
Br. Lt Col & Supt.

Transmits reports for
August 1866.

Recd L S D Aug 31/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., September ~~7~~²⁵ 1866

Port Col A. E. Johnston
Chief Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Kentucky
Colonel

I have the honor to transmit
herewith my monthly return of receipts and expenditures
for the second District Lex Sub Dist in the month of
August 1866. also my report of the Bureau Refugees
Freedmen and A Lands for the same month.

Very Respectfully

Your obedient servant

James A. Rini
Port Lt Col M. V. Capt W. C. M.
Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist Ky.

MA 37A
B R F + H L
Ad to 2^d Dist L & S Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Aug 31. 1866.

Rice James H.
Dist L & S of Capt W R C

States that the Schools
for Freedmen in the 2^d Dist L & S
have not been in session during
August 1866. - hence no reports
have been received -

Aug 31 1866

Aug 31 1866

1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., August 31, 1866

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt Lexington Sub-District.
Lexington Kentucky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to inform you, that the Schools for Freedmen in the 2^d Dist, Lex Sub Dist, have not been in session during the month of August, 1866. - hence no reports have been received.

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant

James H. Rini

Br Lt Col 7th Capt W. C.

Supt 2nd Dist Lex Sub Dist Ky

Bureau R. I. W. A. L.
Supts. Office St. Dist. L. S. D.
Maysville, Ky. Aug. 31-1866

True C. J. Supt

Encloses Vouchers for
Salary of J. M. Rogers, Agt
for Hemming Co. for the
month of August 1866

Recd L. S. D. Sept 2/66

NARR 373
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 23 DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Aug 31st 1866.

Genl Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. L. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to inclose herewith the Vouchers
for Salary of James M. Rogers, ^{Capt for Fleming Co.} for the month of August.
They were received at this Office to-day.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt

A. J. True
Supt.

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Bureau Rec. Feb AL
Supts. Office & Dist L.S.D.
Waysville, Ky. Aug. 31st 1866

Trus C. J. Supt.

Was this day transmitted
to Dist. Prog. Gen. Ins. Ely, Chief
Supt. of Ky., \$54⁰⁰ on acct.
of the Refugee & Freedmen's
fund

Recd L.S.D. Sept 2/66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, *3^d* DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. *Aug 3rd* 186

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston

Chief Supt. Ky. Sub Dist.
Lexington, Kenty.

Capt.

In obedience to orders, I have the honor to inform you that I have this day transmitted to Br. Brig. Genl. Geo. Ely, Chief Supt. of Kenty, Fifty-four Dollars on account of the Refugees and Freedmen's Fund for the month of August.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Supt

J. C. Jones
Supt

NARA 376
Unionville Ky
Sept 1. 1866.

Davis M Maj Gen Leff C.
by Burnett Gen. S
a a a Genl.

Directs that certain
witnesses be sent to
his office under a
Commissioned officer

Sept
1866

Recd L S A Sept 2/66

NARA 377
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 1st 1866.

Bt Col R. C. Johnston.
Chief Supdt. Ex Sub Dist.
Saxington Ky

Colonel.

I am directed by Bt Maj Genl
Jef C Davis, Asst Sec Com State Ky
to instruct you to forward to this
Office under charge of a Commissioned
Officer (if possible Lt Geo Bluff) the following
named persons / witnesses against
Easmus Breeger. Ben Morgan alias
red headed Ben, and William Graves. namely
"Alex Smith (cold) John Smith (cold)
Ches Moore " Mason Brooke "
Sam Perry " W. M. Gilky "
and Abram Tidman (cold)
and such other persons the evidence of
whom would be of value in the prosecu-
tion of the charges against the prisoners referred

to above.

The officer will report with the witnesses at this office, not later than Wednesday Morning the 3rd Inst. but if such action is not possible the fact will be reported immediately to these H^qs Quarters.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
Levi F. Burnett.

Shore as above

NARA 379
B R Z & A L
Dd Cr. 4th Dist
Mr Sterling Sept 2nd 1866

Howard H. L.
Supt

Reports amount funds
from Bro Brig Genl
John Ely at Louisville
Ky ($58\frac{25}{100}$) Fifty eight $25/100$
dollars - for month of
August 1866.

Recd L S L Sept 2/66

WAR 380
S. R. H. Ann A. D.
Hd Qrs 4th Dist Lex Supt Dist
Mt Sterling Ky Sept 1st 1866

R. C. Johnston
Brig Genl & Chf Supt
Lex Supt Dist Lexington Ky.
Col.

I have the honor
to inform you, that I have this day forwarded
to Brig. Genl John C. Ly at Louisville Ky
the sum of (\$58.²⁵/₁₀₀) Fifty eight ²⁵/₁₀₀ dollars.
the amount due by me to the Bureau Indian
and Abandoned Lands for the month of August
1866.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.
H. L. Howard
Supt 4th Dist
L. S. D.

B. R. F. & A. L.
Sept 3. 1866.
Hd Lrs 2^d Dist L. J. L.

Rice James H. Dist L. Clerk
Script

Transmits for payment
Vouchers for services in August
1866 as follows.

W. H. Montmollin	Clerk	73 ⁷⁵
W. F. Rice	Agent	73 ⁷⁵
T. H. Fennell	"	73 ⁷⁵
J. W. Read	"	73 ⁷⁵
S. S. Mizner	Building	8 ⁰⁰
S. R. Betts	"	2 ⁶⁷
Berry Craig	"	3 ¹⁶
Elijah Thornbury.	"	2 ²⁰

Total \$500 Sept 3. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., September 3 1866

Post Col R. E. Johnston.

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky.

Lexington Kentucky

Colonel

I have the honor to
transmit herewith for payment, Vouchers for services render-
ed the 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist Post & Files &c. in the month of
August 1866. as follows.

<u>W. R. Montomellie</u>	<u>Clerk</u>	\$ 73.75-
<u>W. F. Rice</u>	<u>Agent</u>	\$ 73.75-
<u>T. W. Firmell</u>	<u>Agent</u>	73.75-
<u>J. W. Read</u>	<u>Agent</u>	73.75-
<u>G. S. Mizner</u>	<u>Building</u>	2.00
<u>L. R. Betts</u>	<u>Building</u>	2.67
<u>Berry Craig</u>	<u>Building</u>	3.16
<u>Elijah Thornburg</u>	<u>Building</u>	2.20

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant.

James P. Kim

Post Lt Col W. Capt R. E.

Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist Ky.

NARA 383
B. R. J & A L.
Hd Cn 4th Dist S. C.
Mt Perry Ky Sept 5, 66

Howard, H. C.
Supt.

Transmits his Monthly
Report B. R. J & A L.
for August 1866

Recd L S D Sept 6. /66.

Bureau L. & A. Lands,
HD. QRS. 1TH DIST.
Mt. Sterling, Ky., Sept 8th 1866

R. E. Winston,
Rev Col. & Chf Supt.
L. & A. Lexington Ky
Col.

Please find enclosed
my monthly Report B R. & A L. for the
month of August 1866.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obt. Servt.

H. G. Howard
Supt L. & A.
L. & A.

Ms Sterling Ky
Sept 8. 1866

Howard H C
Supr

Introducing Mr Morgan
of Perry who desires
the agency of said County
to

Recd L S D Sept 9 1866

Bureau P. L. and A. Lands,
IND. QRS. 1TH DIST.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky., Sept 8th 1866.

Col John Ston

Dear Sir

This will introduce to you Mr. Jno. Morgan of the county of Perry he makes application to me for an Agency of the Bureau in & for the Counties Wolfe Breathitt Estill. Owsley. Letcher. Harlan. Perry. Letcher & Mc Goffin. You can talk with him upon the subject & learn the condition of the Freed people of those Counties he reports fully one thousand and generally all requiring the attention of the Bureau. I suggest that you propose to him to give him one half of what he makes in the way of hiring & apprenticing in those Counties, a salary would not justify being paid to him, it will be impossible for my Agent Capt Evans to be to those Counties some of them almost out of creation, the arrangement I propose would not incur any expense to the Government but would give some protection to the Freedmen and at the same time give some revenue. If it suits you to give him an Agency he can report to me. You must supply him with the necessary Blankets &c. Truly yours
H. C. Howard

16 R F & A S.
Old Am. 4th Dist L. & D.
Mt Sterling Ky Sep 9, '66

Howard St. Co.
Supt.

Returns Vouchers of
Jo. Mitchell for \$3⁵⁰/₁₀₀
Explaining how the Cash
Vouchers were paid by
Lt. Butler Com^d Co. St
2nd W. S. Infy -

Rec'd S & Sept 10/66.

Bureau R. F. and A. Lands,
IND. QRS. 4TH DIST.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.,

Sept 9 1866

R. E. Johnston
Brig. Genl & Chf Supt. & S.W.
Lexington Ky
Col.

I have the honor to
return herewith the enclosed Vouchers &c of
Go. Mitchell for \$2⁵⁰. These Vouchers are for
wood used by Detachment in the mo of
August and not for July, for the month
of July I receipted to Lieut Butler for
the amt of wood purchased in that month.
Lieut Butler requested me to forward the
Vouchers direct to him, He is the proper
Officer to carry these on his Returns

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt

A. L. Howard
Supt. 4th Dist
D. S. D.

389
Simsbury Ky
Sept 10. 1866.

Davis Jeff C. A. bonus,
Ely M Brig Gen John
Chf Supt Ky.

Directs that N N Rogers
Supt 6th Dist be relieved
from duty to take effect
Sept 20th, Directs that an
Officer be sent to make
an inspection of affairs of
6th Dist and inform this
Office if there is necessity for
a Supt in Mr Rogers place
re

Recd L S D Sept 11. 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 10th 1866.

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt^r Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Br Maj Gen Jeff b. Davis, Assistant Commissioner State of Kentucky, to instruct you to relieve W^m M. Rogers, Supt 6th Dist Lexington Sub-Dist, from duty in this Bureau to take effect Sept 20th 1866.

Information of a reliable character has been received at this Office showing that he is not a suitable person to have charge of the affairs of the Freedmen in this State, on account of his intemperate habits.

You are directed to send an Officer to make a thorough inspection of the affairs of the Bureau in the 6th Dist, including the transactions of Mr Rogers and any or all of his Agents, and inform this Office whether there is a necessity for a Supt in place of Mr Rogers, if so, you will recommend the name of a suitable person to this Office for appointment.

If after investigation it is not deemed necessary to have a Supt or Agents in that Dist, the Agents will be relieved, and the records turned over to L. J. Erne Supt

NARR 391
5th Dist at Mayville Ky, who will be authorised to attend
to any cases which may be turned over to him, occurring in
the 6th Dist.

Please acknowledge receipt.

I am, very respectfully

Your Obedient Servant.

John Kelly

Post Brig Genl U. S. Col.

Chief Supt.

NARR 392
Louisville Ky
Sept 11th 1866.

Davis Jeff. C. Asst. Comm.
by
Chy Mr Brig Gen John
Chf Supt D Ky.

Transmits Lucula No 10
for distribution

Recd L S H Sept 11 1866

NARA 393

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 11th 1866.

Br Col R. B. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel,

I am directed by Br Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis Assistant
Commissioner State of Ky. to forward herewith copies of cir-
-cular No 10 from War Dept Bureau R. F. A. L. dated Washington
D. C. August 22nd 1866.

You are directed to cause a copy of this Circular
to be given to the Authorities of each County in your
Sub-Dist, for the purpose of informing them of the de-
-cision of the War Dept in regard to pauper Refugees &
Freedmen.

I am, very respectfully,
Your Obedient Servant,

Blunley
Brig Genl U. S. A. Chief Supt.

NARA 394
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Hq. Qu. Ser. Sub. Dist.
Lexington, Ky. Sept 11th 1866

Johnston Int. Col. R. E.
Chief Supt. L. I. D.

Returns Claims of disch.
old. Soldiers for arrears of
Pay & Bounty for correction.

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supt's. Office 5th Sub L. I. D.
Maysville, Ky. Sept. 16th 66

Respectfully returned, corrected
in accordance with instructions.

C. J. True
Supt

Recd. Bureau Sept. 15th 1866

Bureau Refugee F^{ma} A Lands
Head Q^r Lexington J^r A^lish
Lexington Ky Sept 11 1866.

Col C. I. True
J^rpt 5th A^lish
Mayoville Ky
Sir

I have the honor
to return you herewith the following
claims for arrears of pay & bounty
for correction. Each claim must
state in the body of the declaration
the amount of bounty the claimant
has received. If none has been
received the fact must also be
stated. (See pencil mark on claims).

Horace Bowdler	Private	C. I.	13th	U. S. C. & A.	Arty
Geo Robinson	"	"	G	"	"
Willis Lawson	"	"	G	"	"
Geo Garrison	"	"	K	"	"

(over)

Alex Williams	Sergeant	Co	H.	100 th	W. J. Coe	Infy
Morgan Davis	Captain	"	I	"	"	"
Chas Parker	Private	"	K	"	"	"
Geo Parker	"	"	K	"	"	"
Eli Baldwin	"	"	I	"	"	"
Robt Moulton	"	"	I	"	"	"
Ed Kennell	"	"	G	109 th	"	"
Geo Sweetman	Sgt	"	I	42nd	"	"

When corrected return them to this office.

Very Respectfully
Your obt servant

P. S. Johnston
Pvt Coe / W. J. Coe & Co
Chf Supt Lex Jns Dty.

NARR 397
Louisville Ky

Sept 13. 1866.

Ely John
Br Brig Genl. Chf Supt

Encloses duplicate Notices
& Receipts for Stateway
transferred.

Recd - 1/5 D Sept 13/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept. 13th 1866.

Bot Capt. D. E. Johnston
Lt Capt. - Green from Sub. Dist.
Green from Ky.

Colonel:

I have the honor to
transmit herewith ^{and} Receipts of Stationery
forwarded to you on the 5th of Sept.

Please sign Receipts & return
them to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully,
your Obedt Servt.

Wm. L. L.
Bot Capt. D. E. Johnston
Lt Capt. - State of Ky.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 13 1866.

Serjt John L Graham

Superdt & Covington, Ky.

Serjtman

The special attention of the Assistant Commissioner having this day been called to the case of John Tainer (Col'd) against John Stephens for a debt of \$26⁰⁰ returned to you yesterday by endorsement from this Office; I am directed by him (the Asst Comr) to instruct you to submit the case to a good Attorney practicing in the County where the parties reside for collection.

It is the desire of the Asst Comr to avoid in all cases possible a collision with the civil courts in this State, and he hopes that no obstructions will be placed by the legal tribunals of Kentucky in the way of colored people collecting debts that are justly due them.

You will give the Complainant all the assistance in your power, and report the result of the instructions in this letter to this Office before

3
Taking any other action in this case.

I am

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt

John C. Ely

Bot Brig Genl U.S.V.

Chief Supt. State of Kentucky

Official Copy furnished for information of Dist Co R. S.
Johnston Chief Supt Lexington Sub-Dist.

Levi H. Burnett.

Lieut R. R. b. A. A. A. Genl.

442
Tomsville Ky
Sept 13. 1866.

Davis Joff. C. A. Comr
Cly Dr Prig Gene John
Chf Suptr

Anchages purchase of
Stationing for Lex for Dly.

Recd L S D Sept 14. '66

MAILED 403
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 13th 1866.

Brig Col R. S. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brig Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis Asst
Comm State of Ky. to inform you that you are au-
thorized to purchase, Two (2) Gross Steel Pens, Thirty Seven (37)
Pen Holders, Six (6) Bottles Mucilage, Thirteen (13) Dozen Gum
Bands, Four (4) Quires Envelope Paper, and Twenty Four (24) Sheets
Blotting Paper, for use of Supts in your Sub-Dist, there
being none of the articles above named, on hand
at this Office.

You will forward the vouchers to this office,
properly made out, for payment, as soon as possible,
after the articles are purchased.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

John W. Smith
Brig Brig Genl U.S.A. Chief Supt.

Bureau Refuges Fort Leavenworth
Post Commr Office State Ky.
Louisville Sept 14. 64

Respectfully returned
to Bt Col R E Dolan
Chief Supd. & Sec Subd.
All purchases should be ac-
counted for on abstract
D N^o 24 (which abstract
should accompany these
vouchers) and carried to 20
93 Monthly return.

The certificate of the
vouchers should be signed
by the Officer responsible
for the property.

The property is accounted
for on form N^o 23. abstract
D.

By order
Bt Maj Gen. Jese Davis
Post Commr State Ky.

John Ely

Bt Brig Gen WSO

En. 938 Chief Supd

No 19

Abstract of complete rations issued to enlisted men
belonging to 2^d U. S. Infantry at Lynchburg Ky.

1866	No. of return	No. of men	No. of days	Commencing	ending	No. of complete rations	Remarks.
June 1 to June 15		8	15	June 1	June 15	120	Owing to a failure on the part of the proper Officers at Louisville Ky to furnish Rations for the detachment of the 2 ^d U S Infy then on duty at Lynchburg Ky it became necessary to purchase Rations, as the troops could not be subsisted Otherwise
Number of complete rations furnished							

I certify that I have carefully compared the above
"Abstract" with the original ration returns now in my
possession, and find that they amount to
complete rations.

J. W. Read
Do not sign this

No 19.

Abstract of complete rations issued to enlisted men
belonging to 2d U. S. Inf at Lynchiana Ky.

1866	No. of return	No. of men	No. of days	commencing	ending	No. of complete rations	Remarks.
June 1 to June 15		8	15	June 1	June 15	120	Owing to a failure on the part of the proper officers at Louisville Ky. to furnish Rations for the detachment of the 2d U. S. Infy there on duty at Lynchiana Ky it became necessary to purchase Rations. as the troops could not be subsisted otherwise
Number of complete rations furnished.							

I certify that I have carefully compared the above
"Abstract" with the original ration returns now in my
possession, and find that they amount to complete
rations.

James B. Read
done sign

No 20.

The United States,

To J. W. Read

J. W.

1866.

June 1st
to
June 15th

For rations issued in the month of June 1866 to
8 enlisted men belonging to 2^d. U. S. Infantry at
Bygonthiana Ky. as per accompanying abstract.
120 complete rations @ 25 cents per ration

\$
cts
30

30

Received at

this

day of

1866, from

Ball

J W Read

(Sign here)

J W Read

No 20.

The United States

To J. W. Read

D^o.

1866 June 1 st to June 15 th	For rations issued in the month of June 1866 to 8 enlisted men belonging to 2 ^d U. S. Inf- at Lynchiana Ky. as per accompanying abstract. <u>120</u> complete rations, @ <u>25</u> cents per ration	\$	=
		30	—
		30	—

Received at
1866 from,

this day of

J W Read

(Sigsbee)

J. W. Read

No 20

The United States

To J W Read

Dr

1866 June 1 st to June 15	For rations issued in the month of June 1866 to 8 Enlisted Men belonging to the 2 nd U S Infy at Lynchburg Ky as per accompanying abstract. 120 complete rations @ 25 ^{cts} per ration	\$	30	00
			30	00
			30	00

Received at

this day

of

1866 from

J. W. Read

Enchiridion

No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ Qr. 186 .

Dollars _____ 100.

Paid _____, 186 .

No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ QR. 186 .

Dollars _____ 100.

Paid _____, 186 .

No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ Qr. 186 .

Dollars _____ 100.

Paid _____, 186 .

To

Dr.

[illegible]

I CERTIFY that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles have been accounted for on my property return for the month ending on the of, 186 .

Quartermaster.

RECEIVED at _____, the _____ of _____, 186 _____,
 _____ Quartermaster United States
 Army, the sum of _____ dollars
 and _____ cents, in full of the above account.

(SIGNED IN DUPLICATE.)

J W Read

Bureau Refugees For A. Lands.
Asst Comr Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Sept 6th 1866.

Respectfully returned to J. W.
Read Agt (then Head Ls Lexington
Sub-Dist) for completion.

The vouchers for Rations & Fuel
can be signed by Mr Read.

When they are returned properly
signed they will be forwarded
to the commissary of Subsistence
with a request to send a
check for the amount of the
Rations.

The vouchers for fuel should be
paid by the L. M. Dept at this
post

By Order of Post Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comr State of Ky.

Levi F. Dunnett.

884-166 Lieut N. D. S. A. A. A. Genl,

Bureau R For A Lands
Head Ls Lexington Ky Sept 8. 1866.

Respectfully returned to
J. W. Read Agents whose
attention is invited to
Endorsement from Asst
Comr Office dated
Louisville Ky Sept 6. 1866.

R. S. Johnston
Post Comr Ls Lexington Ky
Chf Supt Ls Lexington Ky

End 6th 1866.

Recd back L S Ls Sept 10 1866.

Bureau R For A Lands
Head Ls Lexington Ky Sept 11th 1866.

Respectfully returned to
Post Brig Gen John E. Lys

Chief Supt State Kentucky
Attention invited to enclosed
letter from J. W. Read
dated Versailles Ky Sept 10
1866.

R. S. Johnston
Post Comr Ls Lexington Ky
Chf Supt Ls Lexington Ky
End 6th 1866.

Recd back A. B. O. Ky Sept 12/66

Bureau Refugees For A. Lands.
Asst Comr Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Sept 12th 1866.

Respectfully referred to Post
Maj John W. Barger, Com Sub-
Louisville Ky who is requested
to send a check to J. W. Read
Versailles Ky thro this office.
By Order of Post Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comr State of Ky.

John E. Lys

Post Brig Gen U. S. A. Chief Supt,
End 9th 1866

Bureau Refugees For A. Bonds.

Visit Bureau Office, State of Ky.

Louisville Sept 6th 1866.

Respectfully returned to J. M. Read Esq (the Head of Lexington and Visit) for consideration.

The vouchers for Rations at One can be signed by Mr. Read. When they are returned properly signed they will be forwarded to the commissary of subsistence with a request to send a check for the amount of the Rations.

The vouchers for fuel should be paid by the L. M. Dept at this point.

By Order of Brig Maj Gen J. B. Davis
Visit Bureau State of Ky.

Genl J. B. Bennett.

1866 Sent 4.00 L. A. A. A. Genl.

Bureau A. S. A. Bonds

Head Quarters for Ky

Lexington Ky Sept 8. 1866.

Respectfully returned to J. M. Read Agents where attention is invited to Endowment from A. B. Bonds office dated Louisville Sept 6. 1866.

J. B. Bennett

Chief Clerk for Ky

1866.

Recd Aug 23rd Sept 10 1866.

Bureau A. S. A. Bonds

Head Quarters for Ky
Lexington Ky Sept 10 1866.

Respectfully returned to
for Ky Genl J. B. Bennett

Chief Clerk State Kentucky
Attention invited to enclosed letter from J. M. Read dated Louisville Ky Sept 10 1866.

J. B. Bennett
Chief Clerk for Ky

1866.

Recd Aug 23rd Sept 10 1866.
Bureau Refugees For A. Bonds.
Visit Bureau Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Sept 12th 1866.

Respectfully referred to Brig Maj Gen J. B. Bennett, Bureau and Louisville who is requested to send a check to J. M. Read payable by this office.

By Order of Brig Maj Gen J. B. Davis
Visit Bureau State of Ky.

J. B. Bennett

1866 Sent 4.00 L. A. A. A. Genl.

Office Comy of Sub.
Louisville Ky Sept 18th 1866

Respectfully returned to Robt. May,
Genl S.C. Davis, Asst. Comr. Bureau
Ref. Freedmen & A.S. for the
State of Ky. — The within is
in favor of J. H. Read is in
violation of par. 1002. Article 15.
Army Regulations, 1864 — Read,
the claimant, being employed
in the Military Service of the U.S.
as agent of the Bureau of Ref.
Freedmen & A.S. at the time
the purchase was made.

As I am authorized to pay
such accounts only as come
under the Regulations, it is
impossible for me to comply
with your request, to send a
check to Mr. Read.

The Abstract of Claims should
be signed by the commanding
officer of the detachment, if the
detachment is not under the im-
mediate command of a commission-
ed officer, then by the officer under
whose orders they are serving.

The Remarks, setting forth the
necessity of the purchase, attach-
ed to certain officers at Louis-
ville for neglect of duty in not
forwarding claims at the proper
time, in such an indefinite man-
ner, that for my own protection
I would respectfully request

that they be amended, so as to show def-
initely what officers are referred to.

J. M. Barriger,
Capt. & A.S.

& Bvt. Col. M. S. T.

Recd back A. b. O. Ky Sept 14th 1866

Bureau Refugees Genl A. Lands
Asst Comr Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Sept 14th 1866

Respectfully returned to J. M. Read
Agent & (this Hd Qu Lexington
Sub-Dist) whose attention is
invited to the endorsement of
Bvt Maj J. M. Barriger Comr Sub-
By Order of Bvt Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comr State of Ky.

J. M. Barriger

Bvt Brig Genl U. S. A. Chief Dist.
Enc 934. 1866

Recd back L S D Sept 13/66

Bureau R & A Lands
Recd Qu Lexington Ky
Sept 19/66.

Respectfully returned to
J. H. Read Agent &
Attention invited to
Endorsement of Bvt Maj
J. M. Barriger Asst Com
Subordinate.

By Order of Bvt Maj
Bvt Lt Col A. J. V.
Act Chf Supt Lexington.

Enc 667

Eggs & Co 3 1/2 11. 66
 Bureau R & a Lands
 Agents Office 2 Dist
 Versailles Ky Sept 10th 1866

~~D~~ 19 "
 Read. J. W
 Agent

NARR 420
Bureau R F & a Lands
Agents Office 2^d Dist L S
Versailles Ky Sept 10th 1866

Bvt Col R E Johnston }
Chief Supt L S & }

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith Vouchers
in favor of myself for Rations & fuel purchased
for the use of a Detachment of the 2^d U. S.
Infy while stationed at Lynchburg Ky

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

your obt servant

J W Reall
Agent

MAILED 421
Louisville Ky
Sept 18. 1866.

Ely Dn Brig Genl Ins
Chf Supt

Transmits Invoices and
Receipts for Stationary
purchased from Keeler
White.

Recd L S & Sept 19/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept. 18 1866

Col. J. B. Johnston
Chf Capt. Lexington Sub Dist.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel:

I have the honor
to enclose herewith Duodecimo Receipts of
Stationery purchased by you from Messrs. Drake
and White; and also three (3) Long quire Blank
Books. forwarded to you on the 14th inst.

Please sign Receipts and
return them at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt. Serv.

Blundy
Col. J. B. Johnston U.S.A.
Chf Capt. State of Ky

NARR 423
Lonsdale Ky
Sept 19. 1866

Davis

Ely Port Prig Gene Ino
Chf Supbr

States that the \$134 44
belonging to W W Rogers
was sent direct to him

20th

Recd. L S H Sept 20 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Sept 19th 1866.

Br Col R. B. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Br Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Com State of Ky. to acknowledge receipt of
letter from your Office dated Sept 18th 1866, relative to
the \$134 $\frac{99}{100}$ belonging to Mr. W. Rogers late Supt
6th Dist, and in reply to inform you that the
money referred to was sent direct to Mr. W. Rogers
at Greensburg Ky on the 15th inst, in a registered
letter.

I am, very respectfully,
Your Obedient Servant,
Levi J. Burnett.
Lieut W. R. B. A. A. A. Genl.

Sept 20. 1866

Adams G. M.

In regard to Loyalty
of
Edw. Fisher
Hugh Furber of
Knox Co. Ky.

E. M. Adams

the record here and

Recd L S D Sept 20/66

Recd 25th Sept 20/66

I know both the within named men and
consider them loyal

G. M. Adams

In regard to degrees
of Edw. Brooke
Knight Bachelor of
Knox City.

Adams G. M.

Sept 20. 1866

NARR 427
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Sept 20th 1866

G. M. Adams. Esq
Lexington Ky
Sir

I have the honor to request
that you inform me as to the Loyalty
of the following named person of Knox
Co Ky.

Edw Fisher in Feby 1862 & since that time
Hugh Fortush " Aug 1864 " " "

Very Respectfully
Yr ott servant
James H. Rice
Capt Lt Col USV
Acting Chf Supt L. S. D.

Watters by Ky
Sept 20. 1866

Moore & Saban J
& others

Recommend to H Van
Bibber for Sept 6th
Dist.

Recd. L S & Sept 23. 1866

NARA 429
Cattlettsburg Ky
Sept 20th 1866
Col R R Johnston

Sir

We mean
mend Jasper Benton as
agent for the Freedmen's Bureau
for Boyd County or
the entire district

Yours Respectfully
Laban L. Moore

J L Zuybe
Late Col 5th Cal Regt 1861
Wm Pugh M D.

NARR 438
Greensbury Ky
Sept 20. 1866.

Rogers H. H.
Supbr

Tenders his resignation
As Sept 6 last re

Recd L S D Sept 23 1866

GREENSBURG 144
Sept 20th 1866

Col

I would most respectfully tender
my resignation as Superintendent of
6th Lex Sub Dist of the B. R. F. V. A. L.
And at the same time recommend
Charles H. Cant Bibber to fill my
place hoping that this will
meet with your approval.

I am Col Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Serv^t

J. W. Rogers

Supt 6th Lex Sub Dist of the

To
Col R. E. Johnston }
Lex the

NARA 432
Cattelsburg Ky
Sept 20 1866

Citizens Boyd Co Ky

Petition for retention
of Jasper Dowling &

Cathettsburg Ky
Sept. 20. 1866

Col. R. E. Johnston
Capt.

We the undersigned
Citizens of the Sixth District,
Lexington Sub. District - Freedman
Bureau & Abandoned Lands do
hereby most respectfully request
that our worthy Citizen Mr-
Gasper Bowling may be retained
in the position now occupied by
him as Agent - for the above Dept
as we know him to be honorable
and possessing a thorough Busi-
ness Capacity.

We furthermore pray that in
case any changes are to be made
in the Officers now in charge of
said District, if consistent Mr-
Gasper Bowling may be appointed
Superintendent of the same.

J. P. Seaman	James Carter
A. Barnard	Wm. C. C.
Gen. J. C. J.	J. M. Chatham
J. A. K. K.	Wm. C. C.
D. H. McGhee	G. W. D. D.
Wm. Brown	Frank R. French

Philip B. Berger
John B. Cronin
D. M. P. C. C. C.
John H. C. C. C.
James Rice
Karl Joseph Gott
W. H. C. C.
John J. Williamson
C. C. C. C.
W. H. C. C.
Harold Conley
C. W. C. C.
W. J. C. C.
A. C. C. C.
Christian L. C. C.
Morris C. C.
J. W. C. C.
E. C. C. C.
C. C. C. C.
A. C. C. C.
J. D. C. C.
W. H. C. C.
C. S. C. C.
H. J. C. C.
J. B. C. C.
R. C. C. C.
J. C. C. C.
W. C. C. C.
J. C. C. C.

Charles H. C.

NUMBER 435
Catterburg Ky
Sept 21. 1866

Wm C has d.

Encloses petition in
regard to Jasper Dunning
as Sept 6th Dist

Rec'd L S D Sept 25 1866

JOB PRINTING,

SUCH AS

CARDS, BLANKS,
POSTERS, BILL HEADS,

CIRCULARS,
BILLS OF LADING, &C.,

EXECUTED IN THE BEST STYLE AND
AT LOW RATES.

Office of the Big Sandy Herald,

Catlettsburg, Boyd County, Ky.

Published every Thursday Morning, at \$2 Per Year, Invariably in Advance.

Catlettsburg, Ky., Sept 2nd, 1866.

A. R. E. Johnston

Dear Sir,

Enclosed you will find a petition signed by a large number of our most worthy and influential citizens praying for the appointment of Mr. Cosher Bowling as Supt. of the C. & O. R. R. & A. S. And if it should please you to confer upon him this appointment - I am satisfied that it would meet with the hearty approval of the people of this district. Mr. Bowling is a gentleman of unquestionable loyalty, honesty and integrity and if appointed will make an efficient officer.

Very Respectfully,

Yours
Chas. L. Cary
Editor B. Sandy Herald

Sept 21. 1866.

Adams G. M

In regard to Loyalty
of Thos Fanecker of
Knox Co. Ky.

Recd L S A Sept 21 /66.

Mr Thomas Hankins
is as true & loyal as any
man all the time

by M. Adams

NARA 439

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Sept 21. 1866

G. M. Adams Esq
Lexington Ky
Sir

I have the honor to
request that you furnish me information
as to the Loyalty of Thomas Faulkner
of Knox Co Ky (near Darberville) in May
1862 and since that time.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
James H. Allen
Bvt Lt Col U S V
Acting Chf Supt L. F. D.

Ms Sterling 4
Sept 22 1866.

Howard H. H
Sept 22

Forwarded Special Registration
for Horses to

Recd L S H Sept 23 /06

NARA 441
Bureau R & A Lands

Hd Qrs 4th Dist L. L. & O

Montpelier Sept 22th 1866

Col R. E. Johnston

Chf Supt Lex Sub dist

Lexington Ky

Col

If it is possible to obtain horses for the use of Bureau Supts and Agents, I hope you will make the application especially for the 4th district. The amount expended in horse hire will amount to considerable at the end of the month of course the Agents cannot send their salaries in this way, and there is no little of it to be done, the business of the Bureau is constantly increasing; and my agents have a large district of country to traverse, a large amount will be saved to the Government in furnishing horses & the business of the com.

Bureau attended to more promptly and
efficiently

I am Col your ott to
H. L. Howard

NABER 443
Greenville Ky
Sept 22. 1866.

Rogers H. H.

States that he has
Recd. S. O. No 63. Relieving
Furni, Asks what he
shall do with his papers
he

Recd. L. S. O. Sept 25 1866

NARA 444
Covington Kentucky
Sept 22 1864

Col

I have just received Special Order
No 63 relieving me from duty as Superin-
tendent of C^{ty} Sub Dist of Ky B. R. H. & A. L.

I would most respectfully ask who I shall
turn my papers over to or what I must
do with them and what kind of a re-
ceipt I must take for them or is there
any receipt required

I am Col Very Respectfully
Yours
J. M. Rogers

To
Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt^y Sub Dist
of Ky

Greenough Ky
Sept 22 1866.

Rogers H H
Sept

Transmits receipt of
Jno E Himes

Recd L S A Sept 24 1866

MANR 446
Cincinnati Kentucky
Sept 22^d 1866

Col

I have the honor to transmit herewith
John E. Quinn's Receipt for Check N^o 127.
I forwarded J. L. Briggs to Jasper Dowling,
who will attend to it immediately.
Chas. H. Van Bibber Agent has his
check and says he will forward it
(the receipt) himself — he refuses
to forward the receipt through this
Office. I therefore am compelled to
recede my recommendation for him
to fill my place or the Office I held
as Supt C^o Lux Sub Dist of Ky B. R. F. & A. L.

I am Dear Sir Respectfully
Yours
J. V. Rogers

MA 447
Bureau R. H. & ad
H. 2910 3: Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky.

Sept 24th 1866

Graham Inc. L.

Lt W. R. G. Sup-

Submits a Report of the
condition of the Freedmen
in his District

Recd L S D Sept 25/66

Bureau R. F. D. A. D.

Head Qrs 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky. Sept. 24th 1861

Bvt. Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Capt. Lexington Sub Dist Ky

Colonel

Agreeable to instructions I have the honor
to submit the following Report,
There are in this City and vicinity about 4,000.
Colored people many of them are quite destitute and
all are very poor (with a few exceptions) and unable to
assist one another, although they exhibit a disposition
to work yet as a class they are excluded from various
fields of labour by the abundance of White labour with
which they cannot compete, and when they procure labour
it is at a compensation considerably less than White men
receive. Their labour is in great demand in the Country
but they have been driven to the City by a Band of
men styling themselves "Negro Regulators" and are deterred
from going out again for fear of the lash. I have used
every effort in my power to induce them to go out into the.

Country to work and in some instances I have been successful but in a few weeks they return all beaten and bruised by these Regulars, and indeed their condition seems to be deplorable, I am of the opinion if these Scoundrels were arrested and punished and the Freedmen protected they could obtain plenty of remunerative employment in the Country. Farmers seem anxious to have them go out and they are themselves more willing to work in the Country than the City as they have generally been accustomed to work on Farms,

Very little disposition is shown by the Civil Authorities to bring to justice parties accused of whipping Freedmen but rather to screen them from justice, almost in every instance Civil Officers are either ex Rebel Soldiers or worse Stay-at-Home-Sympathisers and they manifest in all their actions a Spirit of Partisanship and Antagonism to the Administration of the Bureau,

The Community here with a few honorable exceptions exact the very highest prices from the Freedmen for whatever articles of necessity they are obliged to have, House Rent is one of their heaviest items of expense, Rooms in back alleys and in the outskirts of the City of small capacity and without any conveniences cost \$10. per month and sometimes more,

There is also a great deal of sickness and Cholera.

among them caused by their meagre diet obnoxious in quality as well as scant in quantity.

There is no Hospital in the City of any kind, there is what is called a Poor House and it is one indeed without any qualification, but negroes are not admitted into it,

An Hospital or Dispensary of some sort for Colored people is very much required in this City. Doctor J. J. Temple has devoted a great deal of his time to these people lately (gratis) but in a great many instances they are unable to purchase the medicines he prescribes. I have applied to the City Officials for some assistance but they seem to think that it is the business of the Bureau and but very little is done for them except bury them when dead.

There are three Schools in the City in a flourishing condition and two night Schools. the day Schools will average about 200 scholars, two of the day Schools are conducted under the auspices of the Freedmen's Aid Society of Cincinnati and ^{one} conducted as a Private School by a Colored Preacher, there are also three Sabbath Schools largely attended, the Freedmen exhibit a very lively interest in the education of their Children

NARA 451
I also expect soon to have two more Schools started.

I am Colonel.

Very respectfully

Your Obedient

M. S. Graham

S. W. R. E. Supt.

NARA 452

Lomville Ky
Sept 25 1866.

Ely Art Brig Gene Ins
Chf Suptr

Transmits Invoices and
Receipts for L. L. + G. E.
and Coal purchased of
Evan Lilly agent.

Recd L. S. L. Sept 26/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 25 1866.

Wm. L. G. Johnston.
 Chief Capt. Livingston Lab Diet
 Lexington Ky.

Colonel:

I have the
 honor to enclose herewith Invoice & Receipts of
 B. L. H. Co. stores forwarded to you on the
 18th inst., and also of boat purchased from
 Mr. Evan Lilly.

Please sign Receipts & return
 them to this Office at your earliest convenience
 Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servt.

Wm. L. G. Johnston
 Chief Capt. State of Ky.

NARR 454
Danville Ky
Sept 25. 1866.

Bourne Capt KR
Supt

Transmits Reports
due from his office
and statement of affairs
in his District

Recd L S D Sept 26/66.

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Sept. 25th 1866.

Brevet Colonel R. E. Lohrston
Chief Supt. - Lex. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Colonel,

I have the honor to transmit herewith, reports due from this Dist. for the month of Sept. except the school report, which will be forwarded as soon as the necessary, teachers reports are received.

There is very little to do in this Dist. The Freedmen are generally employed, and well treated. During the past month, there has been but one outrage reported, to me. The burning of a school-house. There is no hope of learning who were the guilty parties in that case, as the fire was kindled during the night and when discovered, the building was nearly destroyed.

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The Freedmen are not willing usually to call
attention to small affairs, between themselves
and whites; they say the Bureau will eventually
be withdrawn, and then those who had difficulties
will be worse off than if they submitted to what
the whites demanded. I believe though, that the
Freedmen are benefited by the presence of the
Bureau; as it tends to keep the lower classes of
whites from disturbing them.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt

W.R. Bourne Capt. U.S.A.

Post. Maj. U.S.A. Supt. &c

NARA 457
Sept. 26th 1866

Citizens of Anoley
Clay. Perry Harlan
tc

Recommending J. W.
Morgan as Agent for
said Counties.

Recd L S D Sept 28/66.

We the undersigned citizens of the Counties
of Estill, Cowley, Clay, Woff, Prethett, Perry
Barlow and Fletcher believing there should be
some provision made for the relief and benefit
of the Freedmen of said Counties, recommend
the appointment of S. M. Morgan as Agent

Jos. D. Mitchell Estill Co.

R. B. Dameron " "

J. B. Askcroft " "

H. C. Smith " "

E. M. Pryse Cowley Co

S. P. Hogg " "

M. B. Woodward " "

Robert C. Hill " "

Samuel W. Cecil " "

C. G. Cole " "

Jack Morgan Perry Co

S. M. Morgan " "

J. W. Combs " "

Direct to

Boonville Cowley Co
Ky.

459
Lonsville Ky
Sept 26 /66

Batchelder R. N
Chf of M

Encloses Vouchers for
Commulation & fuel for
Coe Johnston & Capt Rice
for Sept 1866.

Recd L S D Sept 27 /66

Head-Quarters Military District of Kentucky,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Louisville, Ky. Sept 26 1866.

Bot Col R. E. Johnson
Lexington Ky
Col.

Enclosed I send you
You for Corn of Gr + Fuel for Sept
1866 for yourself and Capt J. H. Rice
Please sign and return same. and
payment will be made.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt
R. S. Batchelder
Bot Galv chf. gals
Wm. D. H. Ky

George Town Ky
Sept 26. 1866

Finnell J. N.
Agent to

Report in case of
whipping of a negro
at Georgetown by orders
of Town Marshal

Recd back L S D Sept 27/66

10. R. J. A. Sands
2nd Dist-Lex Sub-Dist-
Georgetown & Co. Co. Ky
Sept 21st 1866

Respectfully submitted
to Col R. E. Johnson with
report that the Lown Marshes
James Pullin admits the
Statement of David Waller
J. N. Finney agent
for Scott & Ky.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Sept 24th 1861

J N Fennell
Agt Quodish
Sir.

It is reported at these Head
Quarters that a cold man was whipped
in Georgetown Ky a few days since by
other cold men at the instance of the
Town Marshal.

You will investigate the facts of
the case and report the same to
this office.

Very Respectfully
Wottjenant
A E Johnston
Prov Sec of V
Chf Supt of V.

NARA 464
R. L. J. & A. Lander

2nd Dist. - Ex Sub Dist.

Georgetown Ky Sept 26th 1866

Raiver Waller of Col

States that by direction of
the Marshal of the town - he with Will Scott
of Col took Wm Johnson of Col out of the
limits of the town and whipped him with a
couple of switches, hitting him not excee-
ding 15 lashes for stealing three or four
dollars out of their Grocery.

They took the said Wm Johnson to the Marshal
and he told them he did not know
what to do with him, only to take him out
and whip it out of him.

They got part of the money by whipping him

J. St. James agent
for Scott & Ky

MA 465
Bureau R. H. & A. L.
Hd Qrs 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky,
Lexington Ky
Sept. 26th 1866

Graham Bro. & Co.
St. Louis Mo. Sup.

Transmits monthly Reports
for September 1866

Recd L S D Sept 27 / 66

Bureau R. F. S. A. L
Head Qrs 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky, Sept 26th 1861

Bvt Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Capt Lexington Sub Dist Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith
Monthly Returns for September 1861

I am Colonel

very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

Wm. L. Graham
Sr Wm L. Graham

NARA 447
Bureau R. F. 2nd A. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist L. S. D.
Wayville, Ky. Sept 30. 1866

True C. J. Supt

Makes Special Repts
of Affairs in 5th Dist

Recd L S D Oct 2. /66

NARA 468

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Sept 31st 1866.

1.
Port Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.
Colonel.

I have the honor to submit the following special report of affairs in my district.

Labor^{and} Contracts.

Complaints are made almost daily by Whites^{and} Freedmen of the violation of Contracts (not made through the Officers of this Bureau) Many of the citizens are disposed to treat the Freedmen with justice^{and} remunerate them fairly for their labor. There is a class, however, who are disposed to swindle them, taking advantage of their ignorance to secure their services simply for their board, or in failing to pay them the stipulated wages. On the other hand, many of the Freedmen violate their agreements. A large proportion of them hire by

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the year at prices varying at from One Hundred to Two Hundred Dollars, and after drawing their pay up to the last day, they leave the farmer at the time he most needs their labor viz: In harvest, seeding and Corn cutting seasons. There is seldom any difficulty between those parties who have made Contracts through the Officers of the Bureau. As a general rule the terms are strictly observed by both parties. I would recommend that all parties hiring Freedmen be compelled to make Contracts through the County Agents. This will secure both parties, and prevent a great deal of suffering among the Freedmen. When their Contracts are thus made, they feel that they are settled for the year, and are not disposed to wander through the country, wasting their time and becoming ^{vagabonds} burdens upon the citizens or honest, hardworking Freedmen. All able bodied men and women can obtain employment at fair and reasonable wages.

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Disposition of the Civil Authorities towards
Freedmen.

The Civil Authorities show no disposition to investigate cases of outrage upon the persons or property of Freedmen. I have referred several cases to them, asking them to take action and commit the parties for trial. In no case have they ever paid the slightest attention to my request. In all the cases of outrage which have been reported in this district, they have never made any attempts to punish or even arrest the guilty parties, so far as my knowledge is concerned. The consequence is that they (the Freedmen) have no protection except through the officers of this Bureau. Observation has led me to believe that the Freedmen will not receive adequate protection through the enactment of State Laws, until they acquire that education and experience which will enable them to seek redress for their wrongs through the U.S. Courts.

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Orphan and Infirm Freedmen.

There is a large number of this class in the district. Many of them are living on the premises of their late owners who allow them to remain through motives of kindness. To many citizens this is a serious burden, all onus of slaves having lost heavily through the emancipation of this race. Applications for their support are made daily both by Whites and Freedmen. I can only refer their cases to the County authorities. They are generally unable or unwilling to act. The poor houses are full and no adequate provision has yet been made for the support of this class of paupers. (Freedmen) The law enacted for this purpose at the last session of the Legislature, assessing a tax of \$2⁰⁰ per head, upon all Freedmen between the ages of and years, is not being enforced in this district. The Sheriff informs me that nearly all the Freedmen refuse to pay the tax, and are encouraged in this course in many instances, by their employers. There will be much suffering during the coming winter.

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In all probability many who are unable to obtain employment because of old age or physical disabilities, will die from want of the necessities of life. The Govt. having discontinued the issue of rations, some other method should be devised for their support. It appears to me that the most economical method would be to pay a monthly allowance (say \$8⁰⁰ per each pauper) for their maintenance.

Orphans And Other Minors.

Since assuming the duties of this office I have apprenticed 26 orphans and other minors, in the County of Mason alone. Several have been apprenticed in ^{the} other Counties of the district. Where the Agents act with discretion and judgement, this is an excellent way to settle this class in good homes. The amount they are to receive when they become of age, varies from \$50 to \$200, according to age, sex &c. I would recommend that an order be published, requesting the citizens of the various counties in the State, to report to the

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Agents, the names of all orphans, abandoned and other minors whose parents are unable or unwilling to support them, of whom they may have knowledge, in order that they may ^{be} apprenticed to their late masters, or other persons who will support and educate them for their labor. There are a great many such, scattered throughout the district, and doubtless throughout the State. If left to themselves they become vagabonds and vagrants, being a curse to themselves and the community.

Freedmen living in Adultery.

A surprisingly large number of the Freedmen are living in Adultery, notwithstanding the orders of the Asst. Commr. The "taking up system" is practiced by a very large majority of them. This can be stopped only by arresting the parties, taking them before the Agents of the Bureau, and compelling them to take out Certificates of Marriage. The Freedmen can never be elevated or improved until they are made to observe and respect the laws of Marriage.

"5"

Freedmen's Schools.

During my Superintendency there have been five (5) Schools established in this, (Mason) County. They were suspended during the months of July, August and Sept., but will be resumed on the first of Oct. Efforts are being made to open schools in the other Counties of the District. The Freedmen seem to take a deep interest in the education of their children. Their schools have been supported entirely by themselves, except in some instances where they have been aided by their late masters. Their schools would be greatly benefited if they could obtain teachers through the benevolent society of the country. They are too poor to pay such salaries as are demanded by first class teachers.

Before closing my report, I will state that much of the prejudice which formerly prevailed against the Bureau and its officers, has ceased to exist. A majority of the people however, still know very little about it. For the purpose of their enlightenment and for the benefit and protection of the Freedmen.

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I would respectfully suggest that Circular No. 3. dated Asst Commr's. Office State of Ky, Louisville, Ky, June 26th 1866, be published in every paper (3 in number) in this district. Taking into consideration the fact that they have been buried in slavery and darkness ever since the foundation of the Govt., their condition is as promising as could be expected. Thrown upon the world amidst the chaos of a great civil war, they were totally unprepared for a state of freedom. When the great civilizer, "Education," has dissipated the fogs of superstition & ignorance, we may then hope that they will rise to a condition far superior to that which they now occupy, and become worthy citizens of the Republic.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt
J. J. True
Supt

NARR 476
a
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist L. S. D.
Maysville, Ky. Sept 27th 1866

Mr C. J. Supt

Transmits Reports, Returns
&c for the month of Sept. 1866.

Recd L. S. D. Sept 28. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Sept 27th 1866.

Genl. Cal. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to forward herewith the following Reports, Returns, Vouchers & for the month of Sept 1866.

Monthly Report Bureau R. E. Johnston
" Return of Receipts & Expenditures
" " " Q. M. Stores.
" " " Persons & Articles Hired
" School Report

Vouchers for Salary of C. J. True Supt. for	\$97.50
" " " " J. B. True Clerk "	\$73.75
" " " " J. M. Rogers Agt "	\$40.00
" " " " A. J. Jones " "	\$40.00
" " " " A. J. Bloom " "	\$31.74
" of C. J. True for Sick & Inj. Freedmen	\$13.59
" " " " Mileage	\$32.69
" " J. M. Rogers, Agt. for Travelling Exp	\$10.00

Vouches of J. M. Rogers Agent for Postage for \$4.00
 " " " " Books & Stationery 4.75
 " " A Cooper for Store & Pictures 17.17
 " " Louis Stone " Rent 15.00
 " " E. J. True Supt. Postage 7.00
 " " Ross & Calvin " Sign for Office. 8.00

The Sign painted by Ross & Calvin was purchased
 at the suggestion of Col. Lewis A. A. D. G., on the Staff
 of Genl. Fisk, when he was here in the Summer.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.

E. J. True
 Supt.

Louisville Ky

Sept 28. 1866

Jeff C Davis A Com by
Ely Dorr Drig Gene John
Chf Supte

Approves action in
discharging H H Rogers &
C H Van Dribber & ordering
Lt Saff to Greenup by H.

Recd L S D. Sept 29/66

NARA 479

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Sept 28th 1866.

Bot H. R. E. Johnston

Chief Supdt Bureau R. F. A. S.

Lexington Sub Dist

Lexington Ky

Colonel:

I am directed by Bot Maj Guffey C Davis
Assistant Commissioner State of Kentucky to
acknowledge receipt of your letter dated Sept 27th
1866, informing this Office that you had dis-
charged W. W. Rogers Supdt 6th Dist Lexington
Sub Dist to date Sept 20th 1866, and also his Agent
C. W. Van Bibber to date September 30th 1866, and
had ordered Supt George Duff V. R. C. to
Greensburg Ky, to take charge of the affairs
of this Bureau for that District. And in reply
to say that your action is approved.

I am very respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt

Wm. R. E.

Bot Brig Genl U.S. Chief of Dist

NARA 480
Louisville Ky
Sept 28. 1866.

Wooman H
Dr Lt Col P M A G A

Encloses check to Dr
Col R E Johnston for
pay for Sept 1866.

Recd L S D Sept 29. 1866.

Louisville Sept 28. 1861
 Albrecht R. E. Johnston
 Bureau R. H. L.
 Lexington.

Col:

Please find enclosed herewith
 Check #403, on Ant. Treasurer of the U.S.
 at New York, for One Hundred & ninety Six⁰⁰/₁₀₀
 Dollars in payment of your acct for Sept 1861

Very respectfully

Your obt. Servt

W. T. Freeman

Adj. Gen.

Bureau of War

1 Bureau R. J. and A. B.
Ola On 4th Oct L.S.D.
M^y J. Lerling 14y Sept 29 1866

Howard H. C.
Sup^to.

Transmits Monthly Reports
for the Month of September
1866.

Recd L. S. D. Oct 1. 1866

Bureau Refuges Freedmen and A Land
Here & On 4th Oct Six but Oct
Mount Sterling Ky Sept 29th 1866

Col R E Johnson

Chf Supt Ex Subdib

Lexington Ky Acob

I have the honor
to transmit herewith my Monthly Returns for
the month ending 30th Sept 1866 with vouchers

Yours

Form No. 2. Persons and Articles hired

" " 23. Monthly Return of Property to

Form Monthly Return of Receipts and Expenditures

" Monthly Report D R F and A L

" Monthly Report of Schools.

" 23. H. C. Howard for services 97.50

" 22 G. W. List " " 73.75

" 23 R. W. Hutchcraft " " 73.75

" 22 J. L. Demar " " 50.00

" 22 John J. Evans " " 50.00

" 22 Jo. Mitchell " Sub. 15.00

" 22 C. J. Glover " " 8.50

" 22 M. Q. Ashby " " 8.00

" 23 W. M. Parker " " 7.00

over.

Horn no 12. Adam Bickney Wood 7.00.
 " " 20. H. C. Hubbard Putney 13.00.
 " " 17. J. L. Bos. as. Espina 8.00.
 " " 17. H. C. Howard " 4.00.

I am etc

Very Respectfully

Your obt Servt

H. C. Howard

Sup H. C. Howard

485
Pike County
Sept 30. 1866

Bills In Dr.

Relative to Loyalty
of Allen Maynard,
Lieut Sglt
In W Reynolds of
Pike Co Ky

Recd L S D Oct 5 /66

Little Rock
Exp 30th 1861

Col. D. H. Rice

Col.

In answer to your
inquiries as to the Loyalty of the
following named persons living in this
County (Pike) viz Allen Maynard Jacob
Brock and John H. Reynolds, these
gentl have always been loyal
in its strictest sense. I have known
them all for twenty or thirty years
and their Loyalty has never been
doubted, they were all active union
men from the commencement of the
rebellion to its close

Very Respectfully
your Obedient
Servant
D. H. Rice

NARA 487
Irvine Ky
Sept 30 1866

Lilly H C

In regard to Loyalty
of Mrs Finnell of
Estill Co Ky.

Recd L S D Oct 2^d /66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Aug 28th 1866

Col H. C. Lilly

Irvine Ky

Colonel.

I have the honor to request that you inform me whether Jones Finnell of Estill County Ky was a loyal man in Febry 1863 and has been since that date.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant

R. D. Johnston
Dr Coe U.S. Lt Col R.R.
Chf Supr Lex for Ky.

Sir.

Jones Finnell, the person above
referred to, votes the Conservative ticket, all the
Rebels and Guerrillas of this County vote the
~~same~~ ticket and of course against the
loyal ticket. Respt. H. C. Lilly

RECEIVED 489
Bureau R. F. & A. Lands.
Supt's. Office 5th S. L. S. D.
Mayville, Ky. Sept. 30th 66

True C. J. Supt

Has this day transmit-
ted to Port. Brig. Genl. Dwy.
Ely \$46.59 on acct. of
Refugees [&] Freedmen's Fund,
for the month of Sept.

Recd L. S. D. Oct 2 / 66.

490
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

53 DIST. C. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Sept 30th

1866

Br Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. L. S. D.

Lexington, Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to inform you that I have this day transmitted to Br Ing. Genl. Dr. Ely Chief Supt. \$ 46.50 on acct. of the Refugees and Freedmen's Fund, for the month of Sept.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt

J. True
Supt.

NARR 491
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. S. D.
Mayville, Ky. Sept. 30th 1866

True C. J. Supt.

Estimate for Books and
Stationery for October 1866

Recd L. S. D. Oct 2 / 66

NARA 492

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Sept 30th 1866.

Int. Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Livingston Ky

Colonel.

I have the honor to forward the following estimate for Books and Stationery for the month of Oct.

1 Little Books like those in your office for Supt 5th Dist.
5 Blank Books (3 quire) for Agent Pruckers Co.
5 " " " " " Nicholas Co
5 " " " " " Harrison & Pendleton Cos.
5 " " " " " Fleming Co
24 Quire Letter Paper. 24 Quire Cap Paper.
500 Official Envelopes. 500 Letter Envelopes. 200 S. Pens
25 Pen Holders. 25 Lead Pencils. 10 Ogs S. Ink.

Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedt. Servt.

J. True
Supt.

Lexington Ky
Oct 1. 1866.

Rice Drt Lt Col & H
Supt Surdesh

Transmits Return of
Receipt & Expenditures &
B R F & A L.

Oct

1866

Recd L S A Oct 1. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., October 1st 1866

Port Col R. E. Johnston
 Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist
 Lexington Ky
 Colonel

I have the honor
 to transmit herewith my monthly return of
 receipts & expenditures for the Second District
 Lex Sub Dist in the month of September 1866.
 Also my report of BR & A L for the
 same month

Very Respectfully,
 Your Obedient Servant
 James A. Rice
 Port Lt Col of Capt & Co
 Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist

J. 221/66

Bureau of Land & Survey
Lexington Ky Oct 25 1866

Johnston R. E. Blount
Chief Surveyor

Forwards Vouchers of the
following named persons
for services rendered in
the month of Sept 1866

H. C. Murrant, Transportation	4 ⁰⁰
J. L. Boman "	8 ⁰⁰
J. M. Rogers "	10 ⁰⁰
C. J. Tine Mileage	32 ⁰⁰

H. C. Murrant

Recd A. C. O. Ky Oct 3rd 1866

Bureau of Refugees & Freedmen
Asst Comm Office State of Ky.
Louisville Oct 3rd 1866.

Respectfully returned to Burt Col
R. E. Johnston Chief Supt of Lex-
ington Ky. for completion.

The enclosed copies of orders
should be certified by a
commissioned Officer, as being
true copies.

By Order of Burt Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Ky.
Levi J. Burnett,

Lieut V. R. L. A. A. A. Genl.
Enc 1077. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 25 1866

Genl Brig Genl John Ely.
 Chf Supt Ky
 General.

I have the honor to transmit
 the following Vouchers for payment viz

W L Howard	actual cost transportation	\$ 4 ⁰⁰
J L Goman	" " "	\$ 8 ⁰⁰
J W Rogers	" " "	\$ 10 ⁰⁰
C J. Trice	Mileage from Mayoville Ky to Lexington Ky and return	\$ 32 ⁶⁰

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt servant

R E Johnson

Brig Genl U S V

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dty.

J. 223 168

Genl B. F. F. A. H.
Lexington Ky Oct 20 1864

Johnston R. E. Bt Col
Chief Supdt. re

Forwarded Vouchers in
favor of Campbell & Lowry
for Matting furnished for
the use of his Office
amtg to \$39.38

1 Encl

Recd A. B. O. Ky Oct 3 1866

Bureau Refugees Freedmen & A. S.
Arch Comrs Office State of Ky
Louisville Oct 3 1866

Respectfully returned to
Bt Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supdt. Lexington
Sub District of Ky.

Account disallowed.
There is no funds in this
Bureau to pay accounts
of this character.

By order of
Bt Maj Genl J. M. Davis
Arch Comr State of Ky.

J. M. Davis
Bt Brig Genl

Enc 10/5. 86. Chief Supdt.

NARA 498
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 2nd 1866

Gen Brig Gen John Ely
Chf Supt Ky
Louisville Ky
General.

I have the honor
to transmit herewith Voucher in favor of
Campbell and Lantry for matting purchased
for use of this office.

Very Respectfully
Your obt. servant

R P Johnston
Sgt Col U S V
Chf Supt Lexington.

Eualo. T. 223. 66
 No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ Qr. 186 .

Dollars _____ 100.

Paid _____, 186 .

The United States,

To Campbell and Loney Dr.

DATE OF PURCHASE.		DOLLARS.	CENTS.
1866			
October	For Thirty five yards Cocoa Matting for use in Office of Chief Supt B. R. F. and A. Lands Lex Pub Dist Ky at \$112 1/2 per Yard.	\$ 39.	38
	Lexington Ky		

I CERTIFY that the above account is correct and just, and that the articles have been accounted for on my property return for the month ending on the _____ of _____, 186 .

Quartermaster.

RECEIVED at _____, the _____ of _____, 186 _____,
 _____ Quartermaster United States
 Army, the sum of _____ dollars
 and _____ cents, in full of the above account.

(SIGNED IN DUPLICATE.)

No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ Qr. 186 .

.....
Dollars $\overline{100}$.

Paid _____, 186 .

No. 12.

No. _____ ABSTRACT A. _____ QR. 186 .

.....
Dollars 100.

Paid _____, 186 .

Lexington Ky
Oct 2. 1866.

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Barnett Lt L. F.
Aaahene

States that Gene Mo El
will visit Lexington Ky
on 5th inst

Recd L O O Oct 3 1866

NARA 506

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Oct 2nd 1866.

Brig Gen R. S. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

I am directed by Brig Gen John B. Chief
Supt Bureau R. S. A. S. State of Ky. to inform you
that he will visit Lexington on Friday 5th inst.

I am, very respectfully
Your Obedient servant,
Levi J. Burnett,
Lieut R. S. b. A. A. A. Genl.

Mr Sterling Ky
Oct 2. 1866

Cross John I
Agt Montgomery Co

Encloses Copies of S.O. No
13 issued by 1st Lieut James
Butler 2nd U S Infantry
relieving detachment of
troops at Mr Sterling Ky
States that numerous
outrages are being committed
by whites on the Freedmen
and asks that the troops
be returned to Mr Sterling

S.O. filed with
O. M. L.

Recd L S D. Oct 3. 1866.

NARA 508
Head Qrs. B. R. H. and A. L.
Mount Sterling Ky.
Oct 2nd 1866.

R. E. Johnston
Brig Genl & Chf Supt.
Lexington Ky Col.

Enclosed I send
Copies of Special Order No 13. issued by Genl
James Butter. 1st Lt 2nd U S Infy &c. which
I received this morning by the hands of the
Corporal in charge of the detachment at this
place.

There was but one day's rations sent here.
and Col Howard being absent I deemed it
best to send the troops to Lexington.

We need troops here more than
we ever did; no longer than last Friday evening
an old and highly esteemed colored man by
name James Blue, was brutally murdered.
at his home, about seven miles from this
place. Supposed to be by a gang of white

NARA 509
who as I understand call themselves Regulators
I turned the Case over to the Civil Authorities
and all that was done was the Coroners Inquest
held, the Citizens are afraid to say anything
as their lives are in danger, These Regulators
say that no Negro or White man shall stay
or live in that Section of Country unless he
be of their Class. (i.e. Rebel).

I myself am in great danger
and also all the attaches of the Bureau in
this place. (but we will hold out)

If within your power I would
respectfully ask that the Troops be returned
to this place.

I have just learned of an outrage
committed by a White upon a black at
Ovingtonville Ky. which will result in the
death of the black man.

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt. Servt

John J. Evans
Agt Montgomery Co. Ky

J. 22566

Bureau B. F. & A. Land
Lexington Oct 3rd 1866

Johnston R. E. Bt Col
Chief Supt & co

Planned duplicate
Invoices and Receipts
for One Storm Flag &
Flag Halliard,
says the Halliard has
not been received.

2 Encls

Recd A. C. O. Ky Oct 4th 1866

Bureau B. F. & A. Land
Asst Comrs Office State of Ky
Louisville Ky Oct 4th 1866

Respectfully returned to
Bt Col R. E. Johnston Chief
Supt Lexington Ky with receipt
of Adams Express Co.

It is thought that the price
of rope is in the Express Office
at Lexington Ky

By order of B. F. & A. Land
Asst Comrs State of Ky
Levi L. Burnett

By order of B. F. & A. Land
Com 1020. 1866

RECEIVED
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 3rd 1866

Brig Genl John Ely
Chf Supt Stry
General

I have the honor to return
you herewith duplicate Invoices and Receipts
for one (1) Storm Flag and Flag Haul and
to inform you that the Haul and has
not been received

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt servant

~~A. J. Johnston~~
Brig Genl U.S.V.
Chf Supt Lex Sub Stry.

3, Ke tow ny
Oct 4. 1866

Hills no 2

In regard to Loyalty
of Mr L. M. M. M.

Recd L S R Oct 10/66

Piketon Ky
Oct 4th 1866

Col. D. A. Rice
Acting Chf. Supt. Kentucky

Col
Your note of the 19th Sept
just received this day asking
for information as to the loyalty
of Edmund Mims of Piketon Ky. Edmund
Mims does not at this time live
at Piketon Ky but owns property
or did so in Novr 1861 in said
place. Edmund Mims now lives at
Cattletown Ky. I have known
him for years he is a loyal man
& has always been so, so far as I know
his loyalty never was doubted
by the most loyal persons from
the commencement of the rebellion
to the end of it.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedient
Srvt
J. D. Dill

MAILED 514
Mr Sterling Ky
Oct 4. 1866.

Howard H C
Supt

Reports himself for
duty.

Recd L S D Oct 5th 1866

MAILED 515
B. R. J. & A. L.
M^d Cms 4th Dist L. S. & S.
Manufacturing Ky Oct 4th 1866

R. E. Johnston
Asst Comd & Chf Supt
Lexington Ky. Col

I have the honor

to report myself for duty.

Very Respectfully
(Your Obed Servt)

W. L. Howard
Capt 4th Dist L. S. & S. Ky

GREENSBY H
Oct 4. 1866

Rogers H H
Supr

Encloses receipts of
J. L. Zeigler for
Office Rent.

Recd L S D Oct 7. 1866

Greensburg Ky
Oct 24th 1866

Sir

I have the honor to enclose J.
L. Beiler's receipt for Office rent at
Greensburg Ky.

Lieut Duff arrived yesterday
evening I will forward by tomorrow's
mail all papers pertaining to my
final settlement.

I am Sir

Very Respectfully
Wm. H. Rogers

To
Lieut R. E. Johnston }
Lexington Ky }

MARK 518
B R F & A L
H & 2nd Co Dist L S
Greenupburg Ky
Oct 6, 1866.

Duff Geo
Lt 7th Regt 6th Dist
L S

Reports arrival at
Greenupburg Ky

Recd L S L Oct 9th 1866

Bureau R F V O, L
Head Quarters 6th Dist- Lex Sub Dist
Greensburg Ky Oct 6th 1866

R E Johnston
Bat Co 11th Vth Chy Supt
Lex Sub Dist
Col

I have the honor to report
that I arrived at Greensburg on the evening of
the 3rd inst. I found W. W Rogers and
received to him for the Stationery in his
possession when relieved.

I am unable to visit Catlettsburg
or travel anywhere at the present. my
neck having become so sore from traveling
and little attention

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

George Duff

Leut 11th Vth Chy 6th Dist

Lex, L, D

RR J + A L
Hed On 4th Oct L.S.D.
Mr Jurling Oct 7th H.C.

Howard H.C.

Transmits corrected Vouchers
for printing, in accordance
with instructions dated London
by July 23rd, H.C. by

J.L. Walker H.C.	4.6.50
W. J. Hanly	8.50.

Recd L.S.D. Oct 8. 1866

B R J and A D

Head Qu 4th Dist L. S. D.Mt Sterling Ky Oct. 7th 1866

Col.

I have the honor to enclose herewith
the following Corrected Vouchers for Printing,
in accordance with Endorsement dated
July 23rd 1866, Head Qu Louisville Ky.

Very

J. L. Walker & Co. \$46.50

W. J. Stanley 8.50

Total \$55.00

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

H C Howard

Supt 4th Dist
L. S. D. Ky

To

R E Johnston

Asst Secy & Chf Supt.

Lexington Ky

Bureau Refugees & C
Head Quarters C^d Dist
Tex Sub Dist Day
Greenupburg Ky
Oct 9th 1866

Duff, George
Lt 3rd Regt & Supr 6th Co
L S D

Transmits Requisition
for Books required at
H^d Q^{rs} C^d Dist L S D
L S D 4

Requisition filed

Recd L S D Oct 22nd 1866

Bureau Refugees Freedmen & A, L
Head Quarters 6th Dist L. I. D.
Greensburg Ky. Oct 9th 1866

Col

I have the honor to enclose
herewith Requisitions for the Books required for
Head Quarters 6th Dist Lexington Sub Dist
B R F & A, L

I am Col

Very Respectfully

Young Abt Capt

George Duff

at 3rd & 4th Sub Dist

Lex Sub Dist

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Col

R E Johnston

Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

Lexington Ky

Lansville 14
Oct 9. 1866.

Ely Port Orig Gene John
Chf Supbr

Directs that Reports
for Oct be furnished
by 5th Nov 1866.

Recd L S D Oct 10 1866

NARA 525

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Oct 9th 1866.

Brig Gen R. B. Johnston
Chief Supt &c Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

To enable the Commissioner of this Bureau to make the annual Report of the operations of the Bureau to the President of the U. S. required by Sec 4 of the Act of Congress approved March 3^d 1865 establishing this Bureau, you are directed to have all the regular Reports and Returns required to be made by you to this Office for the month of October 1866, to be made so as to reach this Office by the 5th of November 1866.

I am, very respectfully
Your Obedient Servant,

John R. Rely
Brig Genl U. S. Vol
Chief Supt.

Lonsdale N
Oct 10. 1866

Dover
Ely Dr Drig Gen John
Chf Supt

Anchorage Purchase
of J. Dots Red Ink
re

Recd L S D Oct 11/66

NARA 527
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. October 10 1866.

Rt Col R. C. Johnston,

Supdt &c.

Lexington Ky.

Colonel.

I am,

directed by Rt. Maj. Genl. Jeff C. Davis. Asst. Commr. State of Kentucky to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated the 9th inst enclosing requisition for stationery for use of Supdts. in your Sub-Dist. in reply to inform you that the following named articles were forwarded to you this day by Express

80 Quires Letter Paper

40 " Cap "

1500 Official Envelopes

500 Letter "

8-4 Quire Blank Books

These articles of Stationery are all that could be spared. Yours and an-

NARA 528
authorized to purchase 7 Bottles of Red
Ink.

The vouchers for which you will forward
to this Office for payment as soon as the
articles are purchased.

Invoices & Receipts will be for-
warded to you in a few days for the
articles above mentioned.

I am, Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

John R. Rely

Rt. Brig. Gen. U. S. A.

Chief Supd.

NARA 529

Mr Sterling Ky
Oct 10 1866

Howard H. C.
Suphe

Calls attention to the
necessity for Traps
at his Hd Quarters

Recd L S D Oct 11/66

Bureau Ref H & A Lands.
Head Quarters 4th Dist L. S. D.
W. Sterling Ky Oct 10 1866

Col.

I would respectfully call your attention to the absolute necessity of Troops at these Head Quarters.

There has been two outrages committed by Whites on Freedmen since they left. One in the County a highly respectable colored man industrious and a good citizen was brutally murdered at the hour of midnight, the parties were not recognized and no clue to the perpetrators. The other by a discharged Federal Soldier in this place, who deliberately shot and inflicted a dangerous wound upon the person of an inoffensive colored boy. The Civil Authorities immediately arrested him, and released on bail \$600.00 six hundred dollars.

While the Troops were here we had comparatively 'Peace and Quiet' since they left over

4488 531
It is currently reported that the Bureau has been broken up.

We have a colored man who is about to commence a school, He received an anonymous letter warning him of his danger in staying here.

Unless I can have Soldiers you may expect to hear of outrages not only on freedmen but indignities and insults offered to your humble servant and his Agents -

I therefore ask that the Soldiers be sent back as soon as possible

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Wm Oth Scott

H. C. Norrard

Sup't & Asst. Dir. S.D.

To

R. E. Johnson

Post Genl & Chf Sup

Lexington Ky

Lanville Ky

Oct 10. 1866.

Bourne Dr Map N R

Suptr

In regard to Henry Sheehy
(Cold) money owing Goodloe
Kemp.

Rec'd back L S D Oct 12 '66

Bureau R. F. & A. Co
Hdgs. h. dub. d. int. Ky
Lexington Ky Oct 9/66

R. E. Johnston
Rt. Col. Chief Supt.

Asks if the accounts of
W. Goodloe & Mrs. Knapp
against Henry Shelby
have been paid.

Recd. Hdgs. 10/10/66

Bureau R. F. & A. Co
Hdgs 1st Unit, S. S. Unit
Danville Ky. Oct 10/66
Respectfully returned to
Rt. Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. S. S. Unit Ky
with information that
Henry Shelby has not
paid the above accounts,
and further that he is
a man of no property
and the accounts cannot
be collected. He has been
unable to obtain work
during a large portion
of the time since these
accounts were sent to
me for collection, and
therefore unable to pay.
I would respectfully inform
you that I have

not accustomed to
returning money in
my possession that does
not belong to me, as
is intimated by the
within communications
W. R. Morris
Rt. Maj. M. S. S.
Supt. S. S.

NARA 534
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 9th 1866

Capt H A Gourne RC
Capt 1st Dist

Sir.

I recd a letter from you on July 20th 1866 informing me that Henry Shelby (Col) of Danville promised to pay the accounts of H A Goodloe and Mrs Kemp by the 4th of August 1866.

I would respectfully request to know if Shelby has paid these accounts, and if he has why you don't transmit the amounts to Mr Goodloe & Mrs Kemp. This paper to be returned with report.

Very Respectfully

Your obt servant

R D Johnston

Post Col U S Vols

Chf Capt Lexington Dy.

535
Louisville Ky
Oct 11. 1866.

Ely Dn Brig Genl Mo
Chf Supte

Encloses Invoices Receipts
for Stationery Transferred

Recd L S D Oct 12 / 66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Oct. 11th 1866.

Off. Robt. B. Johnston
Off. Capt. Langston Lab. Dick
Langston B. J.

Colonel: I have the honor
to transmit herewith two copies of
Stationery transferred to you yesterday.
Please sign receipts and return
them to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.

Blundy
Col. B. J. Lee U.S.A.
Off. Capt. State of Ky

Washington. D.C.

Oct 11. 1866

Eldridge Same

Don't miss a chance

Transmit Pension

Blanks.

Recd L S D Oct 15/66

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War Department,
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
Washington, October 11th 1866.

Post. Col. R. C. Johnston
Chief Supt. Bure. R. F. & A. L.
Lexington, Ky.
Colonel,

In accordance with
your request of the 13th ult. I have the honor
to transmit by mail, the following described
blanks:

200- "Widow's Declaration for Army Pension."

Please acknowledge receipt.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt. Servant

Wm. C. Schuyler
Post. Asst. A. A. A. A. A.

L.S.

B. R. F. & A. L.
At On Hth Dist Ld.
Mth January Ky Oct 11 & 1866

Howard. H. C.

Transmits the following
Receipts for the month of August
1866

<u>W. C. Howard</u>	97. 50.
<u>John I. Evans</u>	50. 00
<u>H. W. Coyte</u>	73. 75
<u>J. L. Bomar</u>	50. 00
<u>R. W. Ketchcraft</u>	147. 50
<u>N. T. Chubb</u>	83. 33
<u>Geo W Gist</u>	73. 75
<u>Abner Bartles</u>	7 00.
<u>E. J. Glover</u>	8. 50.
<u>Jo. Mitchell</u>	30. 00.
<u>M. Q. Ashby</u>	8. 00
<u>Geo W Gist</u>	7. 50

Recd L S H. Oct 12 / 66

NARR 540
B. R. J. and A. Lander.
Head Qrs 4th Dist Tex Sub Dist
Mt Sterling Ky Oct 11th 1866

Col.

I have the honor to transmit herewith
the following Receipts for the month of August
1866. Viz

H. C. Howard	\$97.50
Jno. J. Crans	50.
W. D. Coyle	73.75
J. L. Comar	50.
R. M. Hutchcraft	147.50
W. J. Chubb	83.33
Geo. W. Gut	73.75
Abner Baxter	7.
E. J. Glover	8.50
Jo. Mitchell	30.
M. Ashby	8.
Geo. W. Gut	7.50

Very Respectfully
Yours Vt Servt

H. C. Howard Subv.

NARA 541
Danville Ky
Oct 12 1866

Bourne Dr Map NR
Supt

Makes report of affairs
in his district

Recd L. S. D. Oct 10/66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT. (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., October 12th 1866.

Brvt. Genl R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub-Dist. Ky.
Colonel,

I have the honor to report that I have visited all the schools that are taught at present in this District, and find them quite prosperous. The teachers are generally teaching children at \$1.00 each per month, and the schools are self supporting. During the coldest weather I fear the teachers at these wages will hardly be able to keep up the schools, and would recommend that a certain sum be appropriated and to be used in sending poor children whose parents are unable to pay their rates. Such a course will naturally create trouble in localities where some parties pay, while others are assisted, but I cannot think of any better way. I cannot recommend the purchase of property for school purposes as I think the schools can be better protected while held in Churches. There is a certain amount of respect for schools while kept in those places, that would be lost, were they removed to buildings constructed for that special purpose. At present there are three schools in Danville with an average attendance of about 120 scholars, and two in Harrodsburg with 100 scholars. There is one school in Boyle Co. outside of the town of Danville with 20

scholars, at present, but would be increased to thirty if the parents could bear the expense. A school should be established at Stamford Lincoln Co. I learn that one could be managed in the same manner that those already established are; and that it too could be nearly self supporting. There are so many kinds of books in use in the schools, that it appears almost impossible to supply them. Where schools are already established, they are usually well supplied. Quite a proportion of the scholars already enrolled are taught free. I would recommend that a certain sum, perhaps \$10, or \$15, per month, be paid these teachers, and that they be then instructed to take in such children as are unable to bear the expense, and that the schools be conducted, substantially as they are at present. It may appear that the teachers are already well paid, but the largest schools have two teachers, who pay usually \$12, per month for board, and then a rent for the churches for school-houses. This with the expense of fuel, leaves them very little.

My suggestions are made with a view to light expenditures. I doubt the propriety of helping too much. The Freedmen will eventually have to support themselves and too much assistance will in my opinion be an injury.

Very Respectfully, Your Obedt Servt.
W. H. Bourne Post Maj. H. S. Sept 7. 62

J 262-66

Bureau B.D. & A. Land
Lexington Ky Oct 20 1866

Johnston R. E. B. Col &
Supt. of the State, Supt. of the

Requests Authority to purchase
the following articles for use
of his Office:

- 25 Bushels coal
- 1 Coal Shuttle
- 1 Rake
- 1 Shovel.

by Coal -

Recd A. L. O. Ky Oct 21 1866

Bureau Refugee & A. Land
Asst Comm Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Oct 22 1866.

Respectfully returned to Post Col
R. E. Johnston Chief Supt Lex-
ington Ky. who is authorized
to purchase 25 Bushels coal.
There being no appropriation
to pay for the other articles
mentioned, authority cannot be
given to purchase them.

By Order of Post Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Ky.

John D. Kelly

Post Brig Genl A. L. O. Ky
Chief Supt.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 20th 1865

On Brig Gen John Ely.
Chf Supt State of Ky
Louisville Ky
Genl.

I have the honor to
request authority to purchase the following
Articles for use of this office

vig

25	Dusels Coal
1	Coal Scuttle
1	Poker
1	Shovel.

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your obt servant

James A. R.

Port Lt Col U S Vol

Acting Chf Supt Lexington

Knox Co Ky
Oct 15. 1866

Trasfer Am

In regard to Loyalty
of Winifred Duncan
of Knox Co Ky.

Recd L S D Oct 22 1866

Oct 15 / 66

Dear Sir in reply to yours of the
 14th of Sept. which came to hand
 13 instant ~~and~~ I can inform you
 this is Living Belles west of
 Barboursville a Mrs. Guncon 1 mile
 from me no but little in regard to his
 Loyalty my information is when the
 Rebels part was a sutherin Lady
 I never connect with her on the
 Subject but how can a person be
 Loyal to this govern ment and charge
 the government 58600 ~~dollars~~ dollars
 for damage when 102150 will cover
 the ~~same~~ damage

Very Respectfully yours

Wm. T. Jasper

Cattlettsburg Ky Oct 15th 1869

Mr George Duff

Sir Your letter of the 10th inst. written to Mr Gasher Bowling about my school here, is before me, as Mr Bowling kindly sent it to me and requested me to answer it.

You wished to know the amount due, also who employed me.

As they were to pay by the scholar \$1.00 per month ^{if they} ~~must~~ have done so, there are a few delinquent

I was sent here by the American Missionary Association, at the request of Captain Rogers or from his

representation that they needed a school here. There was an understanding between Capt. Rogers and the A. M. S. (that is if they understood each other, which I think they did not fully) that I was to be paid by the school each scholar paying so much. Mr. Rogers took up the subscription and was to collect the money, and several paid him for the first month, and some claim that they have paid more.

I have not rec'd any money from Captain R. and do not know how much he collected nor why he has not paid over the money. He wrote to me a few weeks ago that he would be up to Battlettsburg that week, and that he would turn over to me all the money in his hands belonging to the school.

He did not come and I have not heard from him since. I expect to leave.

Battlettsburg, this morning on the steamer

Telegraph for some, I regret
very much that you could not have
been here before I left.

They wish to have me return here and
I hope to ~~do so~~^{return} if I can make the
arrangement with the A. M. A. to do
so. But if I do come back I hope
we can arrange matters more definitely
than they were this time.

If you wish to communicate with the
American Missionary Association address
Rev. E. M. Cravath 89 West Sixth Street
Cincinnati Ohio. Please write to me, my
address will be, Edgerton Williams Co
Ohio. Thanking you for the interest you
have taken in the matter.

I am very Respectfully

Luthera Wilson

P.S.

The A. M. A. have paid me for a good part of
the time and will perhaps make up to me all
I have not rec'd here. Yet the money that
has been or may be paid by the people here, should
go toward the support of the school. L.W.

On board Telegraph since
writing the within I have been
paid so there is no money to collect
if I had that which has been paid to

Captain Rogers it would be "all right"

Respectfully Luther Wilson

NARA 552

Louisville Ky
Oct 18. 1866.

Ely D. W. Brig Genl Ins
Chf Supt

Transmits Invoices and
Receipts for Stationery
purchased of Keeler &
White.

Recd L S D Oct 19. 1866

NARA 554

Larnsville Ky
Oct 19. 1866

Burnett Lt L. S.
a a a gene

Requests return of
letter + order appointing
C C McReely agent.

Recd L S B. Oct 20/66

NARA 555

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Oct 19th 1866.

Col Rice,

Please return to this
office, the letter and order appointing
b. b. Mc Nelly Agent at Warsaw, there being
an error in the amt of salary,

and also

Levi F. Burnett
Lt A. A. A. S.

Lanville Ky

Oct 19. 1866

Gourne Port Map NW

Supple

Requests following
Blanks.

School Report No 4

Q M

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Recd L50 Oct 20/66

NARA 557

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Oct 19th

1866.

Maj. St. Col. L. A. Rice
Actg Chief Supt. L. S. Dix
Colonel,

Please forward for use
in this District, three (3) blanks for teachers reports
No. 4. I shall have no use for the blanks No. 3,
unless schools taught in one town, are considered
"together" and also 2. No. Blank No. 23 for
returns to Gen. Anselme of property.

Very Respectfully

Wm. Abbott Smith

W. R. Wornum

Prot. Maj. N. S. C.

Chf. S. G.

Bureau R F & A L
Head Quarters to Dist
Let Sub Dist
Graftonburg Ky Oct 20th 1866

Duff George S L W Co
Sept 6th Dist Sec Sub Dist

Acknowledges receipt of
20 blank Claims for
Widows Pension on acct of
her husband

A B S

Recd L S D Oct 26 1866

NARA 559
Bureau Refugees Freedmen & Lands
Head Quarters 6th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Greensburg Ky, Oct 20th 1866.

R E Johnston
But Col US V & Chf Supt
Lex Sub Dist

Col

I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of
"20 Blank Widows Pension Claims on
Account of Husband"

I am Col

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

George Duff Lewis & Co

Supt 6th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Ky

NARR 549
Bureau R F & Adams
Hed 2nd Dist L S D
Greensburg Ky Dec 20 66

Duff George
Leut Will Sept 6 Dist
Lex Sub Dist Ky

Report's result of an
inspection tour through
part of 6th Dist L S D
S B

Recd L S D Oct 26/66

NARA 561
Bureau Refugee Freedmen & Lands
Head Quarters 6th District Subdist
Greensburg Dy Oct 20th 1866

R E Johnston
Butler U S O & Chf Supt L S D
Leopold Dy
Leve

I have the honor to report
that I have inspected that part of my District
bordering on the Ohio and Big Sandy Rivers from
Greensburg Wm Co to Louisa Lawrence Co
Dy. I found the condition of the Freedmen
fair. The greatest want being schools there
being none in the Dist at present, the one at
Cattlettsburg having closed early in Oct, the
one at Greensburg last week & there has
never been one at Louisa. The school at
Greensburg was supported by public money
but no more can be had from the same source at
present the school Comm^{rs} believing that they
have incurred as much indebtedness as their
share of the school fund arising from the tax
on Negroes will liquidate. The one at
Cattlettsburg was supported partly by subscrip-
-ion and partly by the American Missionary
Association. It seems from a letter I
received from Miss Wilson late teacher of the
Freedmen's School at Cattlettsburg that the money
collected by Capt Rogers on the subscription

list has not been all turned over by him
for the purpose to which it was subscribed
I will call on Capt Rogers for an explanation
"I enclose herewith Miss Wilson's letter"

There can be about the following no of scholars
had in Louisa from 25 to 30

Leatllettsburg — 30 to 35 —

Greensburg 25 to 30 In Leatlletts

burg & Greensburg the colored people ^{will} provide
the school-house. I cannot yet speak definitely of
what the colored people can do in Louisa but I
am expecting reports by the end of next week
from which I expect to obtain the information. Please
inform me what assistance I can have toward
the support of Schools in this Dist. I have written
to the American Missionary Association to return if
possible "Miss Wilson the former teacher to Leatllettsburg"

It is almost impossible to find the means of transporta-
-ion to the interior and should anything occur there
I could hardly hire a horse which is the only
way I could reach them. there being no public
conveyance from this place to the interior. And
should it meet your approval I will forward Reque-
-stion for a horse & Equipments Hoping the
tour may meet your approval & an order be
issued that I may obtain Mileage for the
distance travelled

I am Very Respectfully
Yours Obed Servt

George Duff Lee Secy D.C.
Sept 6. Dist Sup Sub Dist 7/2

4888 563
Stanford Ky
Oct 23/1866

Citizens of Lincoln
Lore

Recommend Lewis
Gundrum as Agent
Lincoln Co Ky

Recd L S D Oct 28/66

Stanford Oct 23rd 1866

Col S. E. Johnson Chief Supt Lexington Sub
Dist N.Y.

Dear Sir

As we
understand that there is some prospect for
our friend and neighbor Mr. Lewis Sanderson
giving the appointment of an agent for the
Bureau, Refuges, Freedmen, & we take
great pleasure in saying to you that we consider
him in every way well qualified to fill the position.

As for his loyalty to the government there
is and can be no doubt and he stands high in the
estimation of loyal men of Lincoln and the
surrounding counties and even those of the
citizens who differ with him politically have
confidence in him as an honest and upright
man.

Respectfully

A. G. Huffman late
Asst Surg 1st N.Y. Cavalry
R. E. Huffman
Formerly a Lieut in
1st N.Y. Cavalry

L. H. Yates

late Act. Asst. Surg. U.S.A.

J. W. Reed of
Mount Vernon Rockwell

B. W. Dunn
Cash. Nat. Bk. of Stanford

Mt Vernon Ky
Oct 23. 1866

Joplin L. S

In regard to Loyalty
of citizen of
Rockcastle Co Ky

Recd L S R Oct 30 /66

Wernick

Ms. 94 Kin Oct 23 1866

Dear Sir The Gentle
men that you wanted
I know as to their loyalty
I believe has always been
considered loyal men
except Henry S. Loeble who
I don't know what he
has been he lives 8 or ten
miles from here and hardly
ever
comes to town

Respectfully

Yours

La. S. Lophin

567
Louisville Ky

Oct 24. 1866.

6000
Ely Bn Brig Gen John
Chf Supte

Encloses Special Order
No 82 giving Transportation
to Minnie Garne to
Louisville Ky re

Adm'd

Recd L S D Oct 25/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. October 21st 1866

Bt Col R. E. Johnston.

Chief Supdt. Ex. Sub. Unit.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel.

I have the honor by direction of Bt Maj. Genl. J. C. Davis M. A. Asst Commr. State of Ky. to transmit herewith Exhact ~~III~~ S. O. 82 from this Office. Oct. 24, 1866. directing the Q. M. & Dept. to furnish transportation to this City for Minnie Barnes (Colored)

I am, Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant.

Truly
Bt Brig Genl W. L. V.
Chief Supdt. &c. &c.

NARR 569
Bureau R. F. V. A. Lucas
Head Quarters 6th Dist S. D.
Greensburg Ky Oct 24/66

Duff Geo
Lieut Will Supt 6 Dist
Lex Sub Dist Org

Acknowledges receipt of
Blount School Reports.

Also Circular No "10"
Asstⁿ Comm^r Office State of
Ky dated Louisville Day
Oct 16th 1866 L B "9"

Recd L S D Nov 1. 1866.

NARA 570
Bureau R F & A Lanes
Head Quarters 6th Dist Tex Sub D. 1st Reg
Greensburg Tex Oct 24th 1866

Dear

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of Blank School Reports
Also Circular No "10" Asst Commr Office
State of Tex. Dated Louisville Ky Oct 18. 1866

I am very respectfully
Your Adv Servt,

George Aull
Supt Will Supr 6th Dist L S D

To

Col R E Johnston U S A

Chf Supt Tex Sub D 1st Reg

NARA 521
1
Hannville Ky
Oct 25. 1866

Gourne Fort map H A
Supt

Transmits Reports for
Month of Oct 1866.

Recd L S D Oct 26. 1866.

NARA 572
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Oct 25th 1866

Brvt Colonel. R. E. Johnston

Chief Supt. Six Sub. Dist.
Colonel.

I transmit herewith reports
for the month of Oct. 1866, also vouchers for
rent of office.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.
W. R. Rouse

Approved: Rob. Maj. U.S.A.

373
Lansville Ky
Oct 26. 1866.

Darius
Ely Port Drig Gene John
Chf Supbe

Directs that report of
Outrages committed on
Blacks & White Unionists be
forwarded at once.

Recd L. S. D. Oct 29. 1866

NARA 574

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. October 26th 1866.

Bt Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supd. & Sub District
Lexington Ky.
Colonel.

In order
to complete & forward to the Commis-
sioner B R F & A Lands Wash D.C. the
report in regard to number of Murders &c.
of White Unionists, Freedmen &c in this State,
at once, I am directed by Bt Maj Genl
Jeff Davis Asst. Commr State of Ky.
to request that you will forward the report
of your Sub District, as required by Cir No 9.
A.C.O. State Ky. Sept 25. 1866 to this Office
with the least delay practicable.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant

John C. [Signature]
Bt Brig Genl [Signature]
Chief Supdt.

B R F & A Lanes
No. 25 6th St. Lexington Ky
Greensburg Ky Oct 26, 1866

Duff George
Lt. Col. Sept 6th 1866
S. B. Co. 1st Regt. Sub. Dist. Regt.

Transmitted Receipts for
Books & Stationery

Recd L S D Nov 1. 1866.

NARA 576
Bureau of Ft & A Lands
Head Quarters Co Dist Lexington
Greenfielding Ky Oct 26th 1866

Col R E Johnston
Chy Supt Lexington Sub Dist Ky

Col

I have the honor to enclose
herewith Receipts for Stationery & Books transferred
October 12th 1866

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

George Guff

Serjt - 1st Res Corps US A

Supt. Co Dist Lexington
Ky.

NARA 527
B R F V A. Sanders
H^o 2nd 6th District
Greensburg Ky Oct 26th 1866

Duff George
Lieut 1st Regt Sup^{ts} 6th Dist
Lent Lett Dist

Transmits Returns for
October 1866
S B '10'

Recd L S H Oct 30/66

WAR 579
Bureau B, F, & A, Lands
Head Quarters 6th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Greensburg Ky Oct 26th 1864

R E Johnston
3rd Col U.S.V

Adj Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky

Dear

here with

I have the honor to enclose
Report of B R F & A Lands
" " Schools

" " Receipts & Expenditures

" " Persons & Articles hired

Acct Current

Vouchers for Rent of Office

" " Postage

Property Return "with vouchers"

I am
Cul

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

George Duff

2nd Lt Col 6th Dist

Lex Sub Dist Ky

NARA 579
Bureau R F V ad
H: Geo S: Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Oct 26th 1866

Chasam Inad
L. W. R. super

Howards Monthly Returns
for Month of October
1866

Recd L S D Oct 27. 1866.

Bureau R. I. V. ad
Pages 3: Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky Oct 26th 1866

Br. G. Col James H. Rice
Act. Chief Sup. Lexington Sub Dist

Colonel

I have the honor to forward herewith
Monthly Returns for October 1866, pertaining
to Bureau R. I. V. ad.

I am Col

Very respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.

Wm. S. Graham
Lt. Col. Sup.

NARA 581
Bureau R & Ind A Lands
Recd Qrs 4th Dist L. S. D.
Mt Sterling Ky Oct 26/66

Harvard H. Co.
Sept 4th Dist L. S. D.

Transmits Monthly Returns
for the Month of October 1866
with accompanying vouchers.

Recd L. S. D. Oct 27. 1866.

Bureau Refugee Freedmen & A. L.
Office Sept 4th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Wm. J. Furling Ky Oct 26th 1866

Col

I have the honor to transmit my Monthly
Returns for the Month of October 1866 with
accompanying Vouchers &c. viz.

- 1 Accruals Current
 - 2 Form No 2.
 - 3 Monthly Report Receipts & Expenditures.
 - 4 Monthly Report P. R. F. & A. L.
 - 5 Superintendent's Report of Schools
 - 6 Form No 23 Monthly Return.
 - 7 " " 22 H. C. Howard 97.50
 - 8 " " 22 John. J. Evans 50.00
 - 9 " " 22 R. W. Hinchcraft 73.75
 - 10 " " 22 J. L. Bonner 50.00
 - 11 " " 22 W. W. Coyle 73.75
 - 12 " " 22 Jo. Mitchell 15.00
 - 13 " " 22 M. L. Ashby 8.00
 - 14 " " 22 C. J. Glover 8.50
- over.

15.	Form No 20	W. C. Howard	12.00
16.	" "	W. C. Howard	8.00
17	" "	A. B. Geshony	14.00

Estimate of Clothing and Stationery,
I am Colonel

To
A. E. Johnston
Proctor & V. McVee
Chief Sup. Tex. and Dist.
Washington D.C.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt
W. C. Howard
Capt & Dist L.S.D.

NARA 584
Bureau R. Dr A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. S. H.
Maysville, Ky. Oct 26 1866

True C. D. Supt.

Forwards Reports,
Returns, Vouchers &c for the
month of October 1866

Recd L. S. D. Oct 28. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. October 26th 1866.

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.

Colonel,

I have the honor to transmit herewith
the following Reports, Returns, Vouchers for the
month of October 1866

Monthly Report Bureau Re. F. & A. L.

Return Receipts & Expenditures

Return I. M. Stores, Monthly School Reports.

Monthly Report of Persons & Articles Sold.

Vouchers for Salary of C. J. True Supt. \$97.50

" " " " J. B. True Clerk \$73.25

" " " " J. M. Rogers, Agent \$40

" " " " A. J. Jones " \$40

" " " " A. J. Bloom " \$40

" " Louis Stone for Rent \$15.00

" " C. J. True for Postage \$10.50

My Vouchers for Postage includes the Acct of A. J.
Bloom, Sgt for Harrison & Middleton Cos.

Very Respectfully Yours
J. True Supt

NARA 586
Hauville Ky
Oct 29. 1866

Gourne Port Map & R
Suphe

In regard to Loyalty
of James F. Moore of
Boyle Co Ky.

Recd L S D Oct 29 1866

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Adj. Gen. Sec. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Lexington Ky Oct 24/66

Rice Jas. H.
Adj. Gen. Sec. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Chf. Dept. S. S. L. Ky.

Requests information
regarding loyalty of
Samuel S. Moore of
Danville Ky.

Recd. Adj. Gen. 14. S. S. L.
Oct 26. 66

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Adj. Gen. 1st Dist. S. S. L.
Danville Ky. Oct 27/66

Respectfully returned
to Adj. Gen. J. H. Keel
Chf. Dept. S. S. L. Dist
with information that
Samuel S. Moore is
loyal, and has been
throughout the late
rebellion

W. R. Thorne
Capt. & Adj. Gen. V.
Adj. Gen. Chf. Dept. S. S. L.

NARA 588

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 24th 1866

Port Maj N R Duvorne
Supt 1st Dist
Major

I have the honor to
request that you furnish me with
information regarding the Loyalty of

Samuel S. Moore of Hamble Boggs Co Ky
in Oct 1862 & since

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

James McKim

Port Lt Col U S V

Acting Chf Supt Lexington Ky.

NARA 599

Sumnerville Ky

Oct 27. 1866.

Chy Wm Wrig Gene John
Chf Supbr

Encloses. Invoices & Receipts
for Coal purchased of
E Lilly.

Recd L S D Oct 28. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky. Oct 24 1866.

Det Col. B. E. Houston
Chief Capt. Langston Sub Dist
Langston Ky.

Colonel:

Have the honor to
enclose herewith Receipts of Boat
purchased by you from Mr. E. Kelley Esq.
Please sign Receipts and
return them to this Office at your earliest
convenience.

Yours Respectfully
John Ely

Det. Col. Kelley U.S.A.
Capt. State of Ky

NARA 591
Lancaster Ky
Oct 27. 1866

Landon H. J.

In regard to Loyalty
of Francis M Steger.

Recd. L. P. H. Oct 27. 1866.

Col James H. Rice

Lexington Ky.

Col:

In reply to
your communication of the 26th
inst., I would state that in 1863
the Poll Books show the name of
Francis M. Meyer as having
voted the entire Union ticket.

He had a brother in my Regt
(19 Ky Infy) who served under me
during the war.

He (Francis M.) may have cast
some votes since that time that
were marked "C. H. Meyer".

But I should be glad to hear from
you if you can give me
the name of the man who
marked the name of C. H. Meyer.

W. J. Latham

594
Bureau R. H. & ad
H² Geo 3^d Dist Lexington Gas Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Oct 29th 1816

Graham Ind
St York Sup^r

Forwards Report of Freedmen
maltreated in his District
from Dec^r 18th 1815 to Oct 1st
1816

Recd L S D Oct 30 / 66

MA 595
Bureau R. I. & A. L.
H. A. G. 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky. Oct 29th 1866.

Bvt. Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub Dist

Colonel

I have the honor to forward herewith
a Report of Freedmen Maltreated in this Dist. from
Decr 18th 1865 to October 1st 1866 (agreeable to Circular
No. 9 Dated Bureau R. I. & A. L. Asst. Com. Office
State of Ky. Louisville Ky Sept 28th 1866.)
I am Col

Very respectfully
Your Obedt. Servt.

J. W. Graham
S. W. R. Supt

Bureau R. H. & Co
H. Geo 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Oct 29th 1866

Graham & Co.

St Wm Zeph

Acknowledges Receipt of A/c
N^o 9 Dated Bureau R. H. & Co
Apt Comm^{rs} Office. Ky. Louisville
Ky Sept 29th 1866 also General
orders N^o 50 and 61 Dated War
Dept. A. G. O. Washington
July 21st and Augst 9th 1866

Recd L S D Oct 30 /66.

Bureau R F & A L
 4th Qrs 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
 Lexington Ky, Oct 29th 1866

Bvt. Col R. E. Johnston
 Chief Qrs. Lexington Sub Dist

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt
 of Circular N^o 9 Dated Bureau R F & A L. Capt. Comr.
 Office, Louisville Ky, Sept 24th 1866, also General
 orders N^o 50 and 61 Dated War Dept A. G. O.,
 Washington D. C., July 21st and Augst 9th 1866.

I am Colonel

very respectfully,
 Your Obedt Servt.

Jno. S. Graham
 Lt. Col. R. E. Johnston

Office Freedmen's Bureau
 Paris 17 Oct 1865
 Respectfully returned
 to 'Genl' Col R E Johnson
 with the information that
 the services for which
 compensation is claimed
 were rendered previous
 to the Emancipation
 Proclamation was issued
 & the Civil Courts have
 decided the within case
 in favor of the former
 Master

Most Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servt
 R W Hatcher
 Agt Boulton Co

NARA 599
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 27th 1866

R M Hutchcraft
Agent re.

Sir

I wrote you a letter
on the 2nd Inst in regard to a debt owing
Mrs Farnell (Gold) by Joseph Angles Esq of Barbours
Co. You will please inform me what
action you have taken in the case.

I am Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servt.

~~R J Johnston~~

~~Capt 43rd U. S. Infy (V.R.C.)~~

~~Brig Gen US & Lt Col V.R.C.~~

~~Chief Supt Lex Sub Dist~~

B R J. M D A L
 A D 2nd 2nd Dist Ser Subd.
 Lexington Ky Oct 29. 1866.

Br. Col. R. E. Johnston
 Chf Supt 2nd Dist Ky
 Lexington Ky
 Colonel

I have the honor to trans-
 -mit herewith my report of persons^{and} articles employed^{and}
 hired in the month of October 1866. also the vouchers for
 services rendered as follows.

W. R. Montross	Clerk	\$ 73 ⁷⁵
J. N. Finnell	Agent	\$ 73 ⁷⁵
J. W. Read	Agent	\$ 73 ⁷⁵
L. S. Wigner	Rent	\$ 8 ⁰⁰
Berry Lewis	Rent	\$ 5 ⁰⁰
Elijah Thornburg	Rent	\$ 3 ⁰⁰
Nemmy King (Trustee)	Rent	\$ 110 ⁰⁰
James Bailey	Rent	\$ 15 ⁰⁰

Very Respectfully
 James A. Rini
 Br. St. Heal 2nd Capt 1st Regt
 Supt 2nd Dist Ser Subd Ky

NARR 602
Lamille Ky
Oct 30. 1866

Durme Dr Maj. W. R.
Supt

Acknowledges receipt of
Genl Order No 50066.
Adjt Genls Office U.S.A.

Recd L.S. & Oct 31/66.

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., October 30th 1866

Private Col. R. C. Johnston
Chief Supt. & Ex. Sub Supt.
Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Genl. Orders Nos. 50 and 61, 1866.

Very Respectfully,
Wm. Leach, Supt.
W. R. Bourne
Capt. & Ex. & Post. Maj. U.S.A.
Supt. &c.

NARA 684
Bureau R I & A L
Ida Co. 4th Dist L. S. D.
W. J. Lang Ky Oct 30 / 66

Howard H. C.
Supt &c.

Enclosed Corrected Vouchers
in accordance with endorsement
Apt Comm Office Oct 3rd, 1866
request that they be attended
to —



Recd L S D Nov 2 1866

WAR 605
Bureau Refugee Insurance Co A L
Head Qu. 4th Dist L. S. D. Ky
W^h Sterling Ky Oct 30th 1866.

Col.

Enclosed please find corrected
Vouchers, in accordance with the Endorsement
of the Act. Com. dated Oct 3rd 1866,

You will please have them attended
to and oblige

Yours Respectfully

H. C. Howard.

Supt 4th Dist L. S. D. Ky.

To
Col R E Johnston
Brig Gen & Chf Supt
Lexington Ky.

Q R Jnd A L
Ha On 4th Dnt S S
W. J. Stirling Oct 30th, 1866

Harvard, H. C.
Sept 10.

Returns corrected Vouchers
of J. L. Walker & Co. and
W. J. Stirling for printing.

Recd L S B Oct 31. 1866.

MAILED 607
Burian Refugee J. Co A. L.
Hd Qrs 4th Dist Tex Sub Dist
W^h Lexington Ky Oct 30th 1866
J J

Cab.

I return herewith corrected
Vouchers of J. L. Hacken & Co and
W. J. Hanly, for printing &c -

Please forward & oblige

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

H. C. Howard

Supr. 4th Dist Tex

To
R. E. Johnston
Post Cab & Chf Supt
Lexington Ky

Orangeburg 14
Oct 30th 66

Reyrs

W. W.

Letter transmitting final
papers pertaining to
his settlement

Greenupburg Kentucky
October 30th 1866

Col.

I have the honor to enclose herewith my papers pertaining to my final settlement also Report Returns &c. I supposed that my former Agent Dan Bibber had forwarded them during my absence but I find on my return that he only forwarded his own Voucher Hoping that you will over look this negligence as I was absent on very important business I also enclose Lind G. Duff's Receipt for Stationery I received from you. I have no Quarter Masters Return to enter it on nor your Invoice of same.

Col please forward my ap^d through as soon as possible as I would like to hear from them and get the remainder of my pay. I am in business that will require my immediate presence after the 5th of November. Hoping that this will meet with your earliest attention?

I Am Col Very Respectfully
Your O^b Serv^t

Wm W. Rogers
Late Supt Cth & Sub Dist

To.
Col R. E. Johnston
Lexington Ky

NARR 610
B R 715 AL
N^o 2^o 2^o Dist Lx SLD
Livington Ky Oct 30/66

Rice James Bt St Houl

Transmits Monthly
Return of receipts & expenditures
also Report of B R 715 AL for
October 1866.

Recd L S D Oct 30/66

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B R J & A L
H⁵ 2nd Dist Sex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Oct 30/66.

Port Col R. E. Johnston
Adj Supt Sex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to
transmit herewith my Monthly Return of receipts
and expenditures for the second Dist Sex Sub Dist
in the month of October 1866. Also my report
of B R J & A L for the same month.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your obedient Servant

James A. Kerr

Port Supt of & Capt 2nd Dist

Supt 2nd Dist Sex Sub Dist

NAER 612
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supt. Office S. D. L. S. L. B.
Mayoville, Ky. Oct. 31 1866

True C. J. Lupton

Transmits Reports re-
quired by Circular No. 9. dated
Act. Commis. Office State of
Ky. Louisville Ky. Sept. 25 1866.

Recd L S A Nov 2. 1866

NARA 613

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. October 31st 1866.

Int. Ing. Genl. Ing. Ely.
Chief Supt State of Kenty.
Louisville Ky.

General.

I have the honor to transmit herewith, the
Reports required by Circular No. 9, dated Bureau
Re. F. & A. L. Dist. Commrs. Office, State of
Ky. Louisville, Ky. Sept 28th 1866.

The Civil Authorities failed to take any action
whatever in any of the cases reported.

Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedt. Serv.

J. True
Supt.

NARA A14
Bureau R. F. & A.
Supt's. Office 5th D. S. D.
Mayville Ky. Oct 3/66

Tru C. D. Supt

Acknowledges receipt
of Genl. Orders from
War Dept & Circular from
Act Commis Office
State of Ky Louisville Ky.

Recd. L. S. D. Nov 2 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. October 31st 1866.

Genl. Col. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of the following Genl. Orders & Circulars.

Genl Order No 59. dated War Dept. Adjts.
Genl's Office Washington D.C. July 21st 1866

Genl Order No 61 dated War Dept. Adjts.
Genl's Office Washington D.C. Aug. 9th 1866.

Circular No. 4. dated Act Commr's Office
State of Ky. Louisville Sept 28th 1866.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Supt

J. E. Jones
Supt

NARR 616
Lonsia Ky
Oct 31. 1866.

Allen Geo H

In regard to Loyalty
of

Same Frasier
Elisha Mearns
Mr O Fraser

Recd L S A Nov 9. 1866

NARR 617

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 24th 1866

John Allison Esq
Louisville Ky
Sir

I have the honor to request
that you will furnish me ^{with} information
regarding the Loyalty of the following persons
of Lawrence County Ky.

viz

Saml Frazer in 1861 and since that time
Elisha Mainard in 1861 and since that time
Mr D Frasher in 1861 and since that time

An early answer is respectfully
requested.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant
James H. Allen
Brvt Lt Col U S Vols
Acting Chf Supt Lex Sub Dg.

Louisia Ky.

Oct 31st 1866

James H Rice

Bvt Lieut Col U.S. Vol

Act Dr

Dear Sir

Excuse the
return of your letter, and allow me to say
that all the within named parties are of
known Loyalty and have each of them been

in the U.S. Service. They have always been loyal
friends Truly Dr

John H. Allison

NARR 619
Nicholasville Ky
Oct 31. 1866

Name In \$

In regard to Loyalty of
Jefferson Sagers
David Hinman
Moses Leitchfield
Lewis Leanta
Wm Hatto
Andrew Kearns

Recd L.S.D. Nov. 1. 1866

Nicholasville Ky
Oct 31st 1866

Genl St Col Jas H Rice
Lexington Ky
Sir

I had the honor to receive from you a communication requesting that I should furnish you with information regarding the loyalty of certain persons.

I have made due inquiry, with the following result.

Jefferson Sagersal, was at the beginning of the war a loyal man - but has since turned over to the rebel faction. David Hoover has always been a rebel. Moses Crutchfield is supposed to be the same. Lewis Carter has been on both sides, and was arrested several times during the war for stealing government property (a very poor recommendation for loyalty).

Mr Watts has always been a rebel

Andrew Hamilton is and has always been truly loyal.

over

MARR 620
I have found and her inclose
to Misses Toucher.

I have the honor to be
Very respectfully
your obedient servant
J. L. Train.
Capt. Berman R. F. + A. L.
Rich 19

MAILED 521
Bureau L. O. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office J. B. L. & S. D.
Mayville, Ky. Oct 31 1866

True C. I. Supt

Has this day trans-
mitted to Ent. Eng. Genl.
Mo. Coly. \$89,25 on acc't.
of Refugee & Freedmen's
Fund.

Recd L. O. F. & A. L. 1866

MA 622
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. October 31st 1866.

Int. Cab. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to inform
you that I have this day transmitted to
Int. Reg. Enl. No. 64, \$89.25 on acct.
of the Refugee or Freedmen's Fund.

Very Respectfully

Geo. C. Smith

Supt.

Mayoville Ky
Nov 1. 1866

To be filed

Trno G. I

Suphe

States that he will
make the form required
by Circular No 8. next
week

Nov

1866

Recd L S D. Nov 6. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. November 12 1866.

Col R. E. Johnston,
Chief Sup't L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel.

I have not made the inspection required by Circular N: 8. because I have been so much troubled with the Asthma, Catarrh as to be unable to travel through the various Counties of the District. I am getting much better and will make the inspection next week, and will report immediately thereafter.

Very Respectfully,
J. J. True
Supt.

NARA 625
Bureau R F W Adams
Hd Qrs 6th Dist Leg Subd'y
Greenwich by ~~Nov~~ 1st 66

Duff George
Lieut & Col Super 6th Dist
Leg Sub Dist Reg

Acknowledge receipt of
Circulars & orders
in B. H. 1 66

Recd L S H Nov 5. 1866

NARA 626
Bureau R F F A Land
Head Quarters 6th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Greensburg Ky Nov. 1st 1866

R E Johnston
Post Comd & La Ore Mills
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of Circular no 8 B R F A L.
Post Comm Office Station Ky dated Louisville
Ky Sept 28th 1866

Also General Order no 51 War Dept A G O July 21st 1866
" " " 61 " " " Aug 9th 1866

I am very respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

George Duff

Secy W R G Supt 6th Dist S D Ky

WAPA 627
Bureau R FV A Lands
H¹ Des 6th Dist Leg Sat 2, Ky
Manufacturing Co, Nov 2nd 1866

Duff George
Lieut 3rd Regt Sept 6th 1866

Transmits
Reports Number of White
Innocents & Freedmen Murdered
or Mal treated in 6th Dist
Leg Sat Dist Reg
from Dec 18th 1865 to Oct 1st 1866

Recd - 7th Dec

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
Head Quarters C^d Dist Lx Sub Dist Lx
Greensburg Ky Nov 2nd 1866

R. E. Johnston
Br Col 21st & Lt Col 21st
Chf Supt Lx Sub Dist Lx

Dear

I have the honor to enclose
herewith Reports of the Number of White Americans and
Free men of both sexes murdered or otherwise badly
maltreated in C^d Dist Lx Sub Dist Lx

Yours Very Respectfully
G. A. Lint

George Duff

Supt 21st Lx Sub Dist Lx

MANA 29
Gurnea R. J. & Co
Adm 4th Div S. L. D
M^{rs} Farley & ~~W. & H. Co~~

Howard. H. Co
Capt

Transmits Reports of
White Unionists and Freedmen
who have been murdered, hanged
etc. in the 4th Div S. L. D
from Dec 1st 1865 to Oct 1st 1866

Recd L. S. D Nov 5/66

Bureau B., F. and A. Lands,
 HD. QRS. 1TH DISTth
 Mt. Sterling, Ky., Nov 4th 1866

Col.

I have the honor to transmit herewith Reports, of White Unsub, and Freedmen who have been murdered &c. from the 18th day of Dec 1865 to the 1st day of October 1866 in the Fourth District E. S. D. in accordance with Circular No. 200. Airt Cam^{rs} Office Louisville Ky Sep 28th 1866
 I am Col.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

H. C. Howard

Sept 24th 1866

R. E. Johnson
 1st Lt Col 1st Regt Supt
 Lexington Ky

NARA 631

ID R Fnd AL
Ad No 2^d Dist Sec Sub Dist
Lexington Ky Nov 5. 1866

Rice James W. Post Seal

Transmit Report of
Outrages in 2^d Dist since
Dec 18. 1865 in obedience
to Cir N^o 9. C. J. from
Act Com^r Office Louisville

Recd L S A Nov 5 1866

Dr R 7th Md A L
 H^d 2nd Dist Supt Dist
 Lexington Ky Nov 5. 1866.

Br Col R E Johnston
 Chf Supt Dist Supt Dist
 Lexington Ky Colonel

I have the honor to
 transmit herewith my report of outrages committed
 in the 2nd Dist L.S.D. from December 18. 1865 To
 November 1. 1866. in obedience to Gen No 9. C.G.
 from Anti-Slavery Office. Louisville Ky.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Your obedient servant

James McLean

Br Supt of Capt & Co

Supt 2nd Dist Supt Dist

MA 633
Louis Ky
Nov 5. 1866.

Sweetman H. J

In regard to Loyalty
of James Fraser
Elihu Mainard
Wm D Fraser.

Recd L S D Nov 10 1866

Lancaster Ky

Nov 5th 1866

M^r. James H. Rice

Sir I received after
line from you the other day requesting
the truth of the loyalty of

Samuel Fraser
Elijah Mainard and
Wm D Fraser

and so far as I can learn they are
loyal and have been since 1861

Yours Respectfully
H. S. Sweetman

Amville Ky
Nov 7. 1866.

Gourne Dr Maf H R
Supth

Acknowledges Receipts
of Circular No 6.
B R F + L.

Recd L S R Nov 8. 1866

To be filed

NOV 23 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov 7th 1866

Port. Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. & Sub. Dist. Ky.
Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Circular No 6 dated War Dept. Bureau R. F. & A. S. Washington Oct. 10th 1866.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.
W. R. Monroe

Capt. W. R. Monroe
Port. Supt. N. & C.

NA 637
Bureau R F & A L
H: Geo 3rd Dist Lexington Jas Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Jm^r 7th 1866

Graham Jno L
Br Capt & Supt

Acknowledges receipt of
Circulars No. 6, 7 & 8 from
War Dept. Bureau R F & A L

Rec^d - 9th Nov
file

Bureau R. F. Vah

N^o 1st & 2nd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky Nov^r 7th 1861

Mr Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Sup^r Lexington Sub Dist Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge
receipt of the following circulars
Cir No^o 1 Dated War Dept 13. R^o Vah Washington Oct 10th 1861
" " 7 " " " " Oct 19th 1861
" " 8 " " " " " 20th 1861

Yours C. B.

Very resp^t

Your Obedientst

J. W. L. Graham

Mr Capt Sup^r

NARA 639
Bureau Ro. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. W. L. S. D.
Mayville Ky Aug 8 1866

True C. J. Supt.

Acknowledges the
receipt of Circulars
No: 638 from Nora Sept

File

Recd L. S. B. Aug 10 1866

NARR 640
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 1st DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. November 8th 1866.

Port Capt. R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of Circulars No. 6 + 8 dated
Mar Dept. Washington D. C. (Ch 105 +
20th 1866.

Very Respectfully,

Yours Obt. Servant
C. J. True
Supt.

Bureau, R. F. & A. L.
Headquarters, Lexington, S.D.
Lexington, Ky. Nov. 9th 1866

by
Johnston, R. E.
Det. Col. U. S. V. &
Supt. Col. V. R. C.
Supt. J. B.

Requests that measures
may be taken to prevent
demonstrations of a disloyal
character on occasion of
the burial of the late
Rebel General Hanson.

Headquarters, Milb. Dist. of Ky
Louisville, Ky. Nov. 10th 1866.

D

Respectfully returned to
Col. Johnston and attention
called to the enclosed
order, of Genl. Thomas,
Comd'g Dept., on the sub-
ject in Louisville.

Col. Johnston will be
guided by the same if
any thing of the kind
should occur.

By Order of
Bot. Maj. Genl. Davis

W. F. Dmm
Bot. Supt. Col. & A. A. G.

Rec'd back L.S.D. Nov 11. 1866

NARA 642
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., November 9th 1866

Col. May Genl. J. C. Davis
Commanding Dist Ky
Genl.

I have the honor to respectfully inform you that the Union Citizens of this place are apprehensive that on Sunday next at the interment of the body of the late Rebel Genl. Hanson that Rebels Flags will be carried by the procession - and that the body will be draped by the same.

Please let me know by return mail what action to take if such should be the case

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

C. E. Johnston

Col. Col. 9th Lt Col. V. B.

Chf. Supt. L. & Sub Dist

NARR 643
Head Quarters Dept Tenn.
Office of Asst. Adj. Genl
Louisville Ky Nov. 9th 1864
To all concerned

From certain articles published in the Louisville Courier of this date it is inferred that the Remains of the Rebel General P. W. Henshaw are to be received with military honors upon their arrival in this city.

The Major General commanding the Department directs me to say, that, while he has no objection to the friends of a deceased rebel attending his funeral in their private capacity, as citizens, and will not interfere with them while so doing, he will not permit any military display, either by wearing the uniform or side arms, or carrying the flag of the late rebel Army, or marching by military organization, and any

persons attempting so to do will
be arrested.

(28) Wm H Whipple
Act. Brig General. U.S.A.
Comd. A.A. General

Official A. F. Orme
Act. Lieut Col.
Comd. A.A. General

NARR 645
Bureau Re. Frs A.L.
Supt's Office S.D. & L.S.D.
Maysville, Ky. Nov 12/66

True C. I. Supt.

Requests that a supply
of Blank Reports, Vouchers
&c. be forwarded to him.

Recd L.S.D. Nov 14. 1866.

NARR 646

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, *TS* DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Nov 12th 1866.

Int. Col R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to request that you forward to me at your earliest convenience, a supply of the following Blanks.

Monthly Reports of Bureau R. F. & A. L.
" Returns " Receipts & Expenditures.
" School Reports.
Vouchers A: 22.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obt. Servt.
C. J. True
Supt.

1 Bureau R. J. Hill Ad
Adm. 4th Div. & L.D.
Mt Sterling Ky Nov 13 1866

Howard H. C.
Supt

Enclous Cath of H.H.
Kohlhass Sr

Recd L.S.D. Nov 15/66.

NARA 648
Bureau R. F. W. A. S.
Old An 47th An 2 L S D
Mth Staling 27 Nov 13th 1866

Col

Enclosed please find Cath of.
H. H. Kohlhass Esq.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obed Serv^t

H. C. Howard
Capt 4th Dist S. I. B.

13 R 7th and R. D.
Office Sup^t & Dist L S D
Mt Sterling Ky Nov 14th 1866

Harvard H Co

Sup^t &c

I
Request that the following
Books be sent him.

- (1) One Quire Monthly Returns
- (1) One " Receipts & Exp^t
- (1) One " School Returns
- (3) Three " Contracts
- (2) Two " Indentures
- (2) Two " Marriage License & Certificates

Recd L S D Nov 16. 1866

NARA 650
Bureau R. I. & A. L.
Office Supt. 4th Dist L. & D.
Mt Sterling Ky Nov 14th 1866.

Col

Please send me the following Blanks.

- (1) One Quire B. R. I. & A. L. "Monthly Reports."
- (1) One " " " " " " " Receipts & Expenditures
- (1) One " " " " " " " Monthly Returns for Schools.
- (3) Three " " " " " " " Form No. 22. Q. M. Spt.
- (3) Three " " " " " " " Contracts
- (2) Two " " " " " " " Indentures.
- (3) Three " " " " " " " Marriage License and Certificate

Very Respectfully
Your obt Servt

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist L. & D.

NARA 651

Lanville Ky
Nov 16. 1866.

Gumme Iron Map N R
Supte

Requests supply of
M Blanks no 17.

Recd. H. S. R. [illegible]

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 16 1866

Private Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. 4th. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Colonel,

Please forward for
use in this office a supply of A. M. Blanks,
No. 17"

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt. Servt.,
W. R. Rouse

Capt. A. R. Rouse, Prov. Maj. U.S.A.

Lanville Ky
Nov 16. 1866.

Domine P M May 24
Supbe

Forwards each of office
of Lewis Landham
Agent.

Recd to L. M. 24 May 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 16th 1866

Major Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Engineer, Sub District Ky.
Colonel,

I forward herewith the
oath of office of Lewis Sandram Agent.
Bureau R. F. & A. L. duly executed as required,

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.
W. R. Monroe

Capt. Wm. R. Putney, M. A.
Asst. Secy.

NARA 655
Lanville Ky

Nov 16. 1866

Bourne For Map N R
Supt

Acknowledges receipt
of School Report

Recd L. S. R. Nov 22. 1866

WAR 656
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 16th 1866

Brvt Colonel R. E. Johnston
Chief Capt. Livingston S. S. Ky.
Colonel.

I have the honor to
acknowledge the recpt of blank for report
of schools, and other returns required from
this office, for Nov. 1866.

Very Respectfully,

Yours Obedt Servt.

W. R. Bourne

Capt. U. S. A. Post Maj. N. S. S.
Capt. S.

20336

B.R. & A. Mandy
Lexington Ky Nov 16 66

Johnston Re. E. M. M.
Chief Subst

asko her mission to
purchase the following
articles of Stationery
70 Qrs Letter Paper
70 " " " " " "
1200: Official Envelopes
1 Better French Writing Fluid

Recd A. B. C. Ky Nov 17 1866

Bureau Reques For A. Mandy
Asst Comm Office State of Ky
Lexington Ky Nov 23 78 79

Respectfully returned to
B. M. R. E. Johnston Chief
Supt Ky. who is only
authorized to purchase the
within mentioned Stationery

By order of B. M. R. E. Johnston
Asst Comm Office of Ky

John Ely

At Brig Genl A. B. C.
Chief Supt
Nov 25 78 79

Orlean Refugees F^{co} A Lands
Head Qrs Lexington Fnt Dist
Lexington Ky Nov 16. 1866.

Br Brig Genl John Ely
Chf Supt State Ky
General.

I have the honor to
inform you that the Supts and Agents of
this District are making daily application
to me for Stationery and to request that
I may be allowed to purchase the
following articles for use of this
Fnt District for this month.

70. Quire Letter Paper

70 " Cap Paper

1200 Official Envelopes
1 Bottle French Azyling Fluid.

Very Respectfully

Your Oth servant

A. J. Johnston

Br for U S Vols

Chf Supt Lex Fnt Dist.

NARA 659
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. S. L. L.
Maysville, Ky. Nov. 16 1866

True C. J. Supt.

Acknowledges the receipt
of Blanks.

Recd L S D Nov 19. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,

5th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Nov. 16th 1866

Cab R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the following blanks from your office.

8 Sets Vouchers No. 99

1 " " " 12

3 " " " 20

4 Repts. Persons & Articles Hired
School Repts.

Very Resp. Yours
J. E. Sawyer
Supt

NARA 661
Lanville Ky

Nov 19. 1866.

Givenne Dr Map NR

Dupbe

Requests supply of
Blank Paper of Attorney.

Recd L S D Nov 20 / 66.

NARA 662

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Jan 19th 1866

Brut-Colonel R.E. Johnston
Chief Supt. & Sub Dist
Colonel.

Please forward for
use in this office, a supply of Blanks for
Power of Attorney, to be used in procuring
claims.

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt. Servt.
W.C. Monroe
Capt. & Asst. Surg. U.S.A.

Bureau R F & A Lands
Head Quarters 6th Dist
Greensburg Ky Nov 17, 66

Duff George
Lieut WCB Supt 6th Dist

Reports return to duty
from Absent with leave
D B 24 1866

Recd L S & Nov 22. 1866.

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands

Head Quarters 6th Dist Ky Sub Dist Ky

Greensburg Ky Nov 19th 1866

But Col R. E. Johnston

Chf Supt Ky Sub Dist

Lexington Ky

Dear Sir

I have the honor to report that
I have returned to my station having been
absent from the Sr. to 18th of November

I am very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

George Duff

Sent M. C. Supt 6th Dist

Lex Sub Dist Ky

Bureau R Fiv Adams
H. L. Dr 6th Dist Lex Sub D, Ky
Greenupshurg Ky Nov 19th 1866

Duff George
Lieut W. L. Supt 6th Dist

Acknowledges receipt of
Blanks & Circulars
L. B. 22nd 1866

Recd L S D Nov 22 1866.

I am very Respectfully
 Yours Obedt Servt
 George Duff
 Livers Well & Sept 6th 2nd Lexington

Bureau R T V Adams
C. D. and Lydell D. J.
Manufacturing Nov 20
1866

Duff L. L. Geo.
Sept 20

Reports failure to obtain
teachers from the American
Missionary Association

And requests information
as to what other sources
he can apply

Dec 27 1866

Recd L S D Nov 24 1866.

MA 669
Bureau R F A Lanes
C- Dist Lef Sub Dist
Greensburgh Ky Nov 20-1866

Col R E Johnston
Chf Super Lef Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Col

I have the honor to report that
I have written to the American Missionary
Association for Teachers. so far without success
They do not refuse but say they have so many
places they cannot pledge teachers at present
stating that they expect these schools to
average 50 scholars per school. that average
cannot be reached in towns so small as they
are in this Dist. I had a meeting of
the Col'd people called at Greensburgh
which I addressed and opened a subscription
list. The amount subscribed was \$17.50
(monthly) The number of scholars that can
be had in Greensburgh is from 25 to 30
over

NARA 670
Callensburg from 30 to 36 - in Louisa from
26 to 30 all below the average expected
by the W. M. Co.

Please inform me to what other
sources I can apply

I am Very Respectfully
Yours A. L. S. L.

George Duff

Sent Will Sept 6th Dist.

Stanford Ky
Apr 20. 1866.

Landrum Lewis
Agent

In regard to Loyalty
of H D Washington
S G. Dutton
A Lunnan
Jno McCallister
A B Foley
Jno Evoy.

Recd L S L No 22/66.

Col A E Johnston

Stanford Ky Nov 20th 1866

Chief Supt Lex Sub Dist

Dr Sir

Your favor of the 16th Inst came to hand last night and in answer I will say that James McAllister and A. Carson have shown themselves disloyal by voting for the whole Rebel ticket at the last August Election - one of the candidates for the office of Assessor being a returned Rebel soldier the other a returned union soldier having lost one leg in the service - Strictly sober and of good moral habits and otherwise better qualified for the office A B Foley from some cause did not vote but he has been considered a Rebel sympathiser I would therefore set him down as disloyal his Brothers voted the Rebel ticket John Covy (alias) John E Roy resides near the Lincoln line in Pulaski County and has been and is now loyal - I may say what is called a Radical

Believe me to be

Respectfully Yours &c

L Landrum

Agent &c

Ms. A. 9.2.3
Lt Col James H Rice

Stanford Ky Oct 20th 1866

Actg Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky

Dear Sir

You favor
of the 19th Inst is to hand, and I hasten to answer it
Through mistake I suppose you directed it to W^m
Landrum but I am confident from its contents
that it is intended for me as I reside in this
place and have filled the office of Asst U S Assessor
from the time the Law was passed creating
the U S Internal Revenue tax until within a
few days past when I was turned out of
office as I supposed upon Political grounds
alone. I am inclined to the belief that my
knowledge of the citizens of this county and
their loyalty is equal to any other man
and I therefore take the liberty of giving you the
information you called for so far as I can
1st There is no such man as Henry B North-
ington living in this county - there is a
family of Northingtons living in Boyle
2nd there is no such man as S. G. Laboney
living in this county - there is a man
by the name of Spencer G Labney
who frequently visits this county as agent
for some Wholesale establishment in the
city of Louisville who is and has been
loyal from the commencement of the war
to the present time so far as I know or
believe and I am intimately acquainted
with him

S A Carson (ie) Archibald Carson of Crab-

MA 674
Orchard has claimed to be a union man and served some time under Genl Hobson as a Lieut but at the last August election he voted for Duwall which causes me at this time to doubt his loyalty — 4th James McCallister has claimed to be a union man but he also voted for Duwall which caused me to refuse to endorse his loyalty when he was making out a claim against the Government for property used by the Union Army during the war, I understand however that Mr Edmonson Post Master at Crab Orchard did endorse his loyalty 5th John Crox has been and is loyal I may say strictly so. 6th A B Foley is regarded as a quiet orderly citizen not much said either for or against his loyalty some claim him as a loyal man but I have some doubts.

Now it may be that my standard of loyalty is too strict. I think that the vote between Hobson and Duwall was a pretty fair test in this county of a man's loyalty although I cannot say that I approve of Genl Hobson's present course and position.

Respectfully &c,
Lewis Landrum

Nov 16
Write again
to Landrum

Nov 16
Wrote again
to London

Respectfully &c
Lewis J. Andrews

NARA 676

Lanville Ky

Nov 21. 1866.

Downe Dr Maj H R.

Sube

Acknowledges receipt
of Blank Marriage
Certificates

Recd L S D Nov 22. 1866

NADA 677
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Nov, 21st 1866

Port. Col. R. C. Johnston
Chief Supt. L. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of blanks Marriage Certificates,
and forms for proving marriage of Freedmen

Very Respectfully,

Wm. R. Brown

Capt. & Maj. U.S.

Greenup Co Ky
Nov 21. 1866.

Duff Lt Geo
Supt

ⁱⁿTransmits following
Reports for November

Report D. R. F & A L
Return Recpts & Ex, Auditor

Recd L S D Nov 26. 1866.

Bureau R. F. H. A. D.
Hops 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky.
Nov. 21st 1861

Graham Secy. L.
B. Cap. Supr.

Acknowledges receipt of
Twenty Blank Forms
"Marriage Certificates"

Bureau N.H. & ad

H^{rs} 3rd Dist Lexington Gal Dist Ky
Cornington Ky Nov: 21st 1866

Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Capt: Lexington Gal Dist Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt
of Twenty Blank Forms "Marriage Certificates"

I am Colonel

very respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

Jno. S. Mahan

McCook Sup

L.R. 53. 1866.
B.R. J. & A.L.
Agts Office 2^d Dist. S.D.
Nicholasville Ky Nov 22/66

Nair J.G. Agent re

Reports that about 12 O
Clock of Monday night ~~Nov~~
20. a party of 20 or 30 armed
men attacked the house of Mr
Schofield Supt of Freedmen
Schools at Camp Nelson Ky
Smashed out the window &
took Mr S and son ~~and~~
& prepared to flog them return next Sunday & to shoot
but released them upon the promise that they would leave Schofield family &
the country before the end

of the week. they took ^{owing to the difficulty}
every thing of value ^{in finding the witnesses, and} ~~the~~ testimony. the report could
found about the house ^{not be} gotten ready for yes-
terday mail
They then surrounded the
house of a Colored family
& fired thro the windows
with Muskets. the house
contained two men of whom
one escaped the other return-
ed the fire & was supposed to
either killed or wounded one
of the Gang - ~~the~~ then gained
access to the house & took the man
(Dno Pennide) & beat him severely
leaving him for dead on the
road. - The party threatened to
return next Sunday & to shoot
but released them upon the promise that they would leave Schofield family &
the country before the end

J. S. K
Nov 25th S. D. Nov 23rd 1866
B.R. J. & A.L.
Adm 2^d Dist S.D.
Lexington Ky Nov 23/66

Respectfully referred to Bt
R. E. Johnston Chf Supt
Supt 2^d Dist
and 10 20 1866

Bureau R. I. & A. S.
Nicholasville Ky

Nov 22nd 1864

Br- Lt Col Jas H Rice

Sir, in obedience to verbal order I proceeded to Camp Nelson to investigate the outrages perpetrated there Monday night Nov 20. And have the honor to submit the following report.

About twelve o'clock a party of from twenty to thirty men went to the house of Mr Schofield Agent of American Missionary Society, and Superintendent of Freed Mens School at Camp Nelson and after gaining access by smashing out a window took Mr Schofield and his son out and made preparation to flog them, but upon their promise to leave the county before the last of the week, they released them. In the meantime

they had appropriated every thing of any value they found in his house. They then surrounded the house of a colored family and commenced firing through the windows with Muskets (they all ap-

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pear to have been armed with Muskets)

The House at the time contained two men one of whom made his escape, the other staid in the house and returned the fire and is supposed to have killed or badly wounded one of the attacking party, as one was seen to fall and was carried off by his comrades. They finally succeeded in getting into the house, took the Man John Brunsdick out and beat him badly, leaving for dead in the road. He is the only one that can come any way near identifying any of the party. But I don't think we can rely much on his testimony. He implicates two men (and the only two that he is positive on identifying that are not in this county at all, one being in Memphis Tenn and the other in Cincinnati. He says he could recognize the voices of three others. one Ray Moss, living in Camp Nelson. Tilford Finn living near Potts Mills and Peter Merit living near Camp.

As far as I have been informed it is utterly impossible to identify any of them from the evidence given by the Colored Men in Camp.

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Upon leaving, the party promised to return next Saturday night. And threatened to shoot on sight any or all the members of Schofield's family.

In consequence of the said, the freed men's school at that place has been temporarily discontinued, Miss Schofield being afraid to have any thing more to do with it.

As far as I can learn, there are no arms in the possession of the freed men in the camp.

I believe if they could have a few Muskets and ammunition, they could and would prevent the Marauders from ~~any~~ committing a similar outrage.

As to sending troops down there I don't think it would amount to much unless we were sure of when the party would return, They would certainly not go there as long as the troops were there.

If soldiers could be kept there it would insure protection to the freed men, but I presume that would be impracticable.

I am very respectfully your old ser't

J. L. Starn

Ag't Bureau R. F. & A. S.
Jessamine Baran & Madison Counties

Cincinnati Ohio
Nov 24. 1866

Oranah E W
Secty Am Inf Asst

In regard to the
Outrages committed on
Rev A Schfield at
Camp Nelson.

Recd L S A Nov 25th

NARR 687

The American Missionary Association,
— AND —
The Western Freedmen's Aid Commission.

ADVISORY BOARD.
Hon. WM. PENN NIXON, Rev. G. M. MAXWELL, D. D.
Rev. H. M. STORRS, D. D. EDWARD HARWOOD, Esq.

OFFICE, 93 WEST SIXTH STREET,

Rev. E. M. CRAVATH, Secretary.
THOMAS KENNEDY, Esq., Treasurer.
LEVI COFFIN, General Agent.

Cincinnati, ~~Nov 24~~ 1866.

Genl. E. Johnson.
Bureau Agent. Springfield, Ky.
Genl.

I have the honor
of reporting that our school at Camp Nelson
is under the charge of Rev. A. Seefeldt
and taught by his daughter, both under
commission by the American Missionary
Association, was on the night of the 19th inst.
threatened with destruction — there being
it in charge being by armed men and
to have — and the building threatened with
fire. The house was entered by the breaking
in of doors & windows and Mr. Seefeldt &
his son taken from their home and threatened
with murdering.

There is a large school at Camp Nelson
and I would respectfully request that protection
be given to the school house & to the teachers.

I have the honor to be, beloved

Very truly

Rev. E. M. Cravath
E. M. Cravath
Secy. Am. Miss. Assn.

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. S. D.
Maysville, Ky. Am 9 3 66

True C. J. Lupton

Acknowledges the
receipt of blank Affi-
davits and Marriage Cer-
tificates

Recd L. S. D. Nov 26 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Nov 22^d 1866

Port Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt D. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the following blanks

28 Affidavits for Widows' Pensions
20 Marriage Certificates.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obt. Servant

J. True
Supt.

NARR 690
Danville Ky

Nov 24. 1866.

Bourne Dr Maj NR

Supt

Forwarded reports due
Jan November 1866.

Recd L S D Nov 26. 1866.

NARA 691

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 24th 1866
Res't Colonel R.E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub-Dist.
Colonel.

I forward herewith reports due
from this office, for the month of Nov. 1866.
Also to inform you that I have a sufficient
quantity of stationery for the month of Dec.

Yours Very Respectfully.

Samuel Abbott Smith,

W.R. Bourne

Capt. Artillery U.S. Vols

Mayville Ky
Nov 24. 1866.

Trme L. J.
Supe

In regard to Q. B. Sikes
being in Mayville Ky.

Recd L S Q Nov 24. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. D. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Nov 24th 1860

Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Sup^t Lex S. D.
Lexington D. C.

Colonel,

In reply to your communication of the 22^d
I have the honor to state that O. S. Duke is
now in this city. He has been here for several
days and has already had several shooting affairs,
on the streets and in saloons. For some time
he defied the civil authorities. They seem to be
afraid to do anything which will incur his dis-
pleasure. I would advise that a Corporal and
two (2) men be sent here on the Friday P. M.
packet from Cincinnati. They can arrest him
and take him down the river the same night.
In this manner he can be secured and taken
away without exciting a mob. He is a notorious
character and has several adherents in this city
who would be likely to cause a difficulty if

they had a chance of so doing.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servant

J. S. Love
Supt

A Very Small Breach of the Peace.—On yesterday morning John Stewart, James Hendrickson, and Orlando B. Duke, who has figured in the annals of Mt. Sterling on several occasions during the last eighteen months, were standing on or near the Goddard House corner, when Edward Porter came up and asked the first named where his father was. Stewart answered that he was in Cincinnati; whereupon Porter, who was drunk, —a very unusual thing with him—flatly contradicted him, and said that his father was in Mayesville. Stewart, not wishing to debate the matter with Porter, pushed him aside, and Edward fell sprawling upon the pavement. Thereat, Hendrickson commenced quarreling with Stewart, who retorted. Duke, not wishing to be left out in the cold while a muss was brewing, told Stewart that he (Duke) was responsible for all that Hendrickson said, and Stewart responded that he was responsible for all that he himself said. Duke immediately slapped or struck him in the face. Stewart was not armed, and, so far as we can learn, did not resent the indignity at the time.

After dinner, Duke and Hendrickson were in the bar-room opposite the Goddard House, when Stewart entered, with his hand in his pocket. Duke stepped up to him and seized him by arm, the hand of which was in the pocket, and charged him with having a pistol; which Stewart admitted. Duke charged him further with having procured the pistol to kill him, for having insulted him and struck him, which Stewart denied, saying he desired no difficulty with Duke. They went to the bar to drink, and while there, Thos. Hixon entered to arrest Duke for the blow given in the morning. Duke asked to see the warrant, and while he was reading it, Stewart placed a pistol to his head, just behind the ear, and attempted to shoot him, but the cap snapped. Hixon shoved Stewart away, but he again tried to shoot Duke, the ball passing through Hixon's hat; and finding that he had failed a second time, he ran. Hendrickson pursued him, knocked him down, took his pistol from him, and beat him most cruelly; perhaps with his fist, but the cuts on Stewart's head indicate that it was done by some hard and sharp weapon.

In the afternoon Duke was taken to the Mayor's office for trial, and during it exhibited an hilarity that might have been severely reprimanded by an official less sweet tempered than His Honor, Mayor Daulton. Substantially the above facts were elicited, and at the conclusion the Mayor mildly informed Duke that he would fine him, but was not yet ready to assess the fine, but would defer it until this morning, when he persuasively requested Duke to make his appearance. He also assured him that the offense of slapping a man in the face was a very small offense, not much of a breach of the peace, and that he would impose only a light fine, and then dismissed him, not deeming it at all necessary to take any bond for Duke's appearance at the appointed time.

Then Stewart's trial came on. He proved the manner in which he had been treated in the morning. He also offered to prove that Duke had subsequently sworn to kill him; that Duke had already killed three men, and shot and stabbed others, and that he was a very dangerous character with precious little regard for the lives of other people, and that there was every reason for Stewart to fear the execution of the threats against his life. All this testimony Mayor Daulton refused to listen to, and held Stewart to bail in the sum of \$300 to make his appearance at the next Circuit Court to answer to a charge of shooting with intent to kill.

During the trials Duke was detected in an endeavor to slip a pistol from his sleeve, and it was taken from him. But, perhaps, the fact of the pistol being taken from him in open court, was not sufficient evidence for Mayor Daulton. At any rate he did not fine him for carrying concealed weapons, or place him under bonds to keep the peace, or take any security for his appearance this morning. There is some little curiosity to learn what will be His Honor's decision this morning, and we will report it in our next. Altogether, it was a very small breach of the peace, not deserving much of a fine, and certainly not the space we have occupied in giving the particulars.

The Sequel to the Small Breach of the

Peace.—In our last issue we promised to tell our readers the result of Mayor Daulton's reflections as to the amount that would be light enough to fine Orlando B. Duke, for the very small offense of slapping John Stewart in the face. But on Thursday His Honor had not yet ascertained the precise sum, and so no fine was levied. However, he felt himself compelled to bind Duke over to keep the peace, upon the affidavit of Stewart, that he believed his life to be in danger at the hands of Duke, and he fixed his bond at \$500. In so doing, he very deprecatingly apologized to Duke for his action, assuring him that the law forced him to do it, and that he had fixed the amount of the bond as low as the law would permit. Duke did not give the required bond, and the Mayor again permitted him to go at large without giving the bond. On Friday morning Duke again came to the Courthouse and had not yet procured the bond. By many persuasions on the part of some of Duke's friends, which were countenanced by Mayor Daulton, to get Stewart to withdraw his affidavit against Duke, so that the latter might not be bound over to keep the peace, Stewart was induced to consent, on condition that Duke would not be a witness against him in the Circuit Court on the charge of felony in shooting with intent to kill. Mayor Daulton was a witness and listener to this arrangement, and after it was perfected, he released Duke from giving the bond he had already required of him, and set him unconditionally free. He did not require Duke to give bail for his appearance before the Circuit Court in the matter of carrying concealed weapons.

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We have now discharged our duty in placing before the people a faithful account of the proceedings at the police court during the week, and trust it may not be necessary to allude to any of the parties any further.

Maysville by Gas Light.—Citizens who remain at home after nightfall, and go to bed sober at ten o'clock, are not aware of the rapid strides Maysville is making in the ways of metropolitan life, and a faithful report of the proceedings at the Mayor's office is necessary to even partially enlighten them. On the night of Wednesday last, the inhabitants of Front and Market had their attention drawn by the sweet sounds issuing from the bar-room of Arthur McDonald, just opposite to the Goddard House. Truly there was a sound of revelry by night; masculine voices shouted,

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In the afternoon of Thursday the greater part of the performers in the previous night's entertainment found their way to the Mayor's office. They had had their dance and wanted to pay the fiddler, so they insisted on having a jury, knowing full well that the Mayor

*Duke is said to
have signed largely in
the affair.*

would not think of charging them the amount which such splendid fun was worth. The jury fined Taylor Alexander, the keeper of the saloon, fifty dollars and costs; Wm. Schockley, twenty dollars; C. D. Outten, twenty dollars; and one whose name we have not learned ten dollars. No fines were imposed for carrying concealed weapons, and at the conclusion of the trial, the Mayor dismissed them all with the affability and kindness which is his second nature.

NARR 698
B R J & A L

Ac Co 4th Dist L S B

Wth Sterling Dec 25/66

Howard H C L
Supt & C

Transmits his Monthly Reports
for the Month of November 1866
without vouchers, will send
vouchers by next mail.

Rec'd L S B Dec 25/66

1866
Bureau R. L. and A. Lands,
HD. QRS. 1TH DIST.,
Mr. Sterling, Ky., Nov 25th 1866

R. E. Johnston
Brk Col & Chp Supt
Lexington Ky
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I have the honor
to transmit herewith the following Reports
viz. (for the month of November 1866)
Report of Receipts & Expenditures
Report of R R I & A L
School Report -

Owing to failure of the
Mail, I am unable to get all my
Vouchers signed, but will I hope be
able to have them all forwarded by to
morrow's mail,

I am Dear

Yours Respectfully
P. Your obt servts

A C Howard
Supt & Dist

NARA 700

Mr Sterling Ky
Nov 25. 1866.

Howard H C
Supt

Requests an Order to
Visit Paris Ky and
Winchester Ky on official
business,

Recd L S D Nov 26 1866

NARA 701
Bureau R & a Lands

Hd Qrs 4th Dist L.S.O

Lexington Ky Nov 25th 66

Col R E Johnston

Chf Supt L.S. District

Lexington Ky

Col

The Agent for
Bourbon Co Ky Capt R. W. Schuchert
does not report any receipts for the
last two (2) months You will do
me the favor to give me an order
to go to Paris and to report at
your Hd Qrs returning by way
of Winchester Ky I desire to
investigate the affairs of the Bureau
at Paris and Winchester

Respectfully &c

A. Howard

Supt

DAVID H. 742
Danville Ky
Nov 26. 1866.

Bourne Dr Maj H R
Supbr

Transmits Voncheis in
favor of Malcolm Ayres
for School Rent in
Danville Ky Nov 18th to
30th - \$20⁰⁰

Recd L S D Nov 27 1866.

NARA 703
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 26 " 1866

Brvt Col. R.E. Shustow
Chief Supt. of Sub Dist.
Colind,

I have the honor to forward
herewith the account of Malcolm Ayres, of
Danville for rent of two buildings used as
Freedmen's Schoolhouses from Nov. 10 to Nov.
30th inclusive.

I am very respectfully,
Yours Obedt Servt.,
W.R. Brown
Capt. Rott May M.D. Co.

NARR 794
Lamille Ky
Nov 26. 1866.

Gourne Dr Maj NR
Supte

Transmits Vouchers
in favor of G. Rice
for office rent Nov 1866.

Recd L. S. B. Nov 27. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
 HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 26th 1866

Prot. Colonel R. E. Johnston
 Chief Supt. Lexington Sub-District
 Colonel.

I have the honor to forward
 herewith account of Mr. G. Rice for rent of
 office for the month of Nov 1866.

Yours Very Respectfully

Wm. W. Morris

W. W. Morris

Capt. Prot. Maj. M. A. B. B.

- Supt. D.

NARA 706
Lumsdelle
Nov 25. 1866.

Ely Dr Dry Gene Dr
Chf Supbr

Encloses Invoices and
Receipts for signature

Recd L S D Nov 27 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 3^d 1866.

Wm. B. Houston
Chief Capt. Lexington Sub Dist
Lexington Ky.
Colonel:

I have the honor to
enclose herewith Invoices & Receipts of 1000
of fixtures purchased of H. Cooper by Capt.
L. F. Linn.

Also, Invoices & Receipts of fifty two
(52) Lights of Gas purchased of C. Goldstine
by Lt. Geo. L. Graham, Capt.

Please sign Receipts & return them
to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully,
Yours Obedt. Servt.

Blair
Prof. Wm. H. Taylor, U.S.A.
Chief Capt. State of Ky.

Linnville 19

Nov 26. 1866

Ely Bt Drig Gene Ho
Chf Supt

Encloses Duplicate
Invoices & Receipts for
Signature

Recd L S D Nov 27/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 28 1866.

Wm. B. P. E. Huntington.
Chief Capt. Huntington Sub Dist
Huntington Ky.
Colonel:

I have the honor to
enclose herewith Invoice of Receipts of Stationery
purchased from Mr. E. L. Stanton & Messrs
Hale & White in your Sub-Dist.

Also Invoice of Receipts of Fuel
purchased from F. Parrish, F. Huzar & Co.
H. B. Aram, Chas. D. Lewis & Co. & J. D.
Arshong.

Please sign Receipts & return them
to this office at your earliest convenience.
Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt.

Wm. B. P. E. Huntington
Asst. Comm. U.S. & Ky.
Sub Dist State of Ky.

Burran R. F. & A. L.
 H² Gps 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
 Lexington Ky
 Nov^r 26th 1866

Graham Geo

Bth Capt & Supt

Transmits Monthly Returns
 Burran R. F. & A. L.
 for month of November
 1866

Recd L S D Nov 28 1866

Bureau R. I. & A. L.

Hd Qrs 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky, Nov. 26th 1861

Bt Col W. E. Johnston
Chief Supt Lexington Sub Dist Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit
herewith monthly Returns of Bureau
R. I. & A. L. for month of November 1861

I am Col

very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

Jno. L. Graham
Br Capt & Supt

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Bureau R. F. A. L.
Supts. Office S. W. L. S. D.
Mayville Ky. Nov. 26 1866

Wm C. D. Supt

Forwards Reports,
Returns, vouchers &c for
November 1866.

Recd L S D Nov 29 1866

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Bureau R. I. M. A. L.
Supts. Office 5th L. I. D.
Maysville, Ky. Nov 26 1866

Col. R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. I. D.
Lexington
Ky

Cabnet.

I have the honor to forward herewith
the following Reports, Returns, Vouchers, for the
Month of November 1866

Monthly Return of Receipts and Expenditures
Quartermaster Stores.

" Report " Surge and Articles Mined.

" " Bureau R. I. M. A. L.

" " Schools

Vouchers of C. J. True Supt for Salary \$97⁵⁰

" " J. B. True Clerk " \$73⁷⁵

" " J. M. Rogers Agent. " 40⁰⁰

" " A. D. Jones " " 40⁰⁰

NAB 714

Vouchers of	A. S. Bloom Agent	for Salary	\$59.20
"	"	Louis Stine for rent of building	1.50
"	"	E. J. True Supt for Postage	80
Estimate for December.			

Very Respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt
E. J. True
Supt.

13 R 31 & A L.
Recd On 4th Inst L J R
M^{rs} Lang Nov 27. 1860

Howard H Co
Sept 1860

Transmits Vouchers &
Estimates for the month
of November 1860, viz.

Horns 2 + 23.

H. C Howard 12.00.

H. C Howard 97.50.

A. W. Kitchcraft 73.75.

H. W. Kohlhaas Jr 73.00.

J. J. Evans 50.00.

J. L. Bonar 50.00.

J. C. Mutchell 15.00.

J. A. Boyd 5.00.

M. Q. Ashby 8.00.

C. B. Ashby 28.00.

C. J. Glover 8.00.

H. C Howard 15.00.

H. W. Hoyle 73.75.

Recd L S D Nov 24 1860

Bureau H. F. and A. Lands,
HID. QRS. 1TH DIST.,
Mt. Sterling, Ky., Nov 27th 1866.

R. E. Johnston
Brig Gen & Chf Supt.
Lexington Ky Col

I have the honor
to transmit herewith the following papers &c.
appertaining to the affairs of the Bureau in
this the 4th Dist. L & D. (viz) for November 1866.
Forms No. 2. & 23.

" " 17 H. C. Howard. for \$12.00.
Form 22. H. C. Howard \$97.50 - R. W. Hentchcraft \$73.75
H. W. Kohlhaas. Sr. \$73.75 - John J. Evans. \$50.00.
J. L. Bomar. \$50.00. Jo. Mitchell \$15.00 Francis
A. Boyd \$5.00. M. C. Ashby \$8.00 A. B. Dishing \$28.00.
C. J. Glover. \$8.00 H. C. Howard \$13.00 And 26 W
Coyle \$73.75, H. C. Howard \$13.00.

Also. Estimate of stationery required
for this District for the ensuing month.
I am Col

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist.

Lanville Ky
Nov 27. 1866.

Bourne Esq Maj A R
Suft &c

Requests a supply of
Blanks.

Recd L S R Nov 29. 1866.

MAILED 718

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Nov. 27th 1866

Brigadier General R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. Sub-Dist., Ky.
Colonel,

Please forward for use
in this District a supply of blanks for
Widows application for back pay and bounty,
also soldiers application for Pensions.

I am very respectfully,

Yours, Obeying Orders

W. R. Bourne

Capt. Ret. Maj. U.S. A.

Sharpsburg. Ky.
Nov 27th 1866

Bornar J. L.
Agt.

State that John H. Kren
in Company with some returned
Rebel Soldiers was in Sharpsburg
hunting for him, and that he
was informed that Kren had
threatened his life. Say that
he does not feel safe, and
ask that a force be sent
him - immediately.

Rec'd 24th Nov 27/66.

Bureau R F & A L
Hd Qrs 4th Dist
Mustang 74
Nov 28. 66

E. B. C. O. 1866

Col R E Johnston

Sir

Your attention

is respectfully called to the
within. Should you deem it
necessary to have them arrested
I would suggest you send an
officer with four (4) soldiers
by rail to Paris Ky at which point
they can get a spring wagon &
proceed to Sharpsburg among
them in the night. There will have
to be strategy used in this case.
his friends are constantly on the
alert & watch the movements of
the soldiers here very closely. I
sent the certificate of Dr. Sharp
to Gen Ely and am expecting
an order through you for his arrest.
It will be difficult to catch
him.

Respectfully
H. C. Howard

Rec'd L S 11 Nov 29/66

Bureau R & F and A Land
Office Agent 4th Dist L & D
Sharpsburg Md Nov 27th 1866

Col H. C. Howard.
Supt 4th Dist L. S. D.

Col

It was reported to me
last night - between the hours 9 and 10 O'clock that
John Henry Wren was in Sharpsburg in search
of me. with a force of Returned Rebel Soldiers
the party is reported to have been from 6 to 8
in number. but it was seen however by
my informant. and but two of them recognized
including Wren. my informant is a Responsible
Gentleman. he says he saw Wren talked with
him and heard him threaten my life Wren
enquired where I was and he informed him
that he did not know he got away from
Wren by telling him that he would go and
find me and then let him know. he came
immediately and informed me of the approaching

danger. I do not feel quite safe now
and would most respectfully request
that you send me a small force for
a short time until he can be arrested please
let me know what to do by return of mail.

I am cal very Respectly
your Obedt Servt
J. L. Boinar
Agent

B R F & A L
Wd Gs 4th Dist L So
Mt Sterling Ky Nov 28/66

Howard A C

Transmits Vouchers for
himself and Capt J F
Evans for expenses incurred
re. Asks that proper Orders
be made

Recd L S D Nov 29. 1866.

R. R. F. & A. L.

Head Qu. 4th Dist L. S. D.

W^h Sterling Ky Nov 28th 1866

Col R. E. Johnston

Chf Superintendent

Lewington Ky

Col

I have the honor
to enclose herewith Vouchers of myself and
Capt J. J. Evans for expenses incurred in
traveling. These are the vouchers that the
General and yourself were talking about
Be pleased to make the necessary Orders
Obligo

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt.

A. C. Howard

Sept 4th Dist L. S. D.
Ky.

13 R J & A L
Wd Cr 4th Dec L.S.T.
My salary by Nov 28/66

Howard H. Co.

Transmit Vouchers for
expenses incurred &c. and
ask that Order be made
for same.

Recd L.S.D. Nov 29. 1866.

RECORDED 725
B. R. J. Gen. O. D.
Head Quarters 11th Dist. Ind. Ter. Dep.
Wm. Stealing Ky. Mar 28th 1866

Col. R. E. Johnson

Chf. Supt.

Louisiana Ky

Col

I have the honor
to transmit herewith Voucher for trip to different
times in my district.
Please have the Order made

*Oblige

Very Respectfully

Wm. H. Smith

M. H. Howard

Sept 11th 1866
L. D.

NARA 726

Mayville Ky

Nov 28. 1866.

Thos L. D

Supt

In regard to escapes
of OSB. Duke from the
guard at Mayville Ky

Recd to S. A. M. 29 Dec

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. November 28th 1864.

Honble Col R. E. Johnston
Chief Engr L. S. D.

Colonel
I have the honor to report that
Corpl Lynch with his detachment
arrived here on the 8 P M
Packet & at once proceeded to
arrest O. B. Duke. After arresting
him I kept him under guard
at my office for sometime when
we took him to the Office of the
Mill House to await the arrival of
the steamer St James which was two
hours behind time. Fearing the
men might not be vigilant I remained
with them until the Boat was in
sight when I went to the (my) Office
to write an order for Corpl Lynch
while this Duke escaped. By running

out, into and
through the hall into the back yard. He
must have escaped by scaling a high
fence a somewhat difficult thing to do
I cannot attach any blame to the Corp
or his men. I had not left him more than
two minutes before he was for it. I regret
very much that he escaped from custody.
If I should ever get him again I will
endeavour to keep him. I have directed
Corpl Lynch to return to Lexington,

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant
S J True
Supv

1866 729
Lomville 14
Nov 30. 1866

Chy Dr Drig Gene Mo
Chy fuph.

Transmit Invoices &
Receipts for signature

Recd L S N Dec 1/66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky.,

Nov. 30. 1866.

Wm. B. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt Lexington Lab Dist.
Lexington Ky.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor
to enclose herewith Invoices & Receipts of
Stationery purchased of Messrs. Beale & White.
Also Invoices & Receipts of
Lab. purchases of F. Normal & Co. by
Supt E. F. Lane.

Please sign Receipts & return
them to this Office at your earliest convenience.
Yours, Dear Sir,

Very Respectfully,
Yours for Lab.

Wm. B. E. Johnston

Act. Dir. Lab. Dist.
Supt State of Ky.

Please send Receipts
by tomorrow evening mail.
O. B. L. G. G. G.

NARA 731
B R Fr A L
Adm 2^d Dist L J
Lexington Ky Nov 30/66

Rice James H Bro S Heal

Transmits returns
of receipts & expenditures also
report of B R Fr A L for the
month of Nov 1866.

Recd L S D Nov 30/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., November 30 1866

Post Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt Six Sub Dist
Lexington Ky.

Colonel

I have the honor
to transmit herewith my monthly return of
receipts & expenditures for the 2^d Dist L.S.D.
in the month of November 1866, also my
report of B R F & L for the same month

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yr Obedt Servt

James A. Kim
Post Col of Capt & Co
Supt 2^d Dist Lex Sub Dist

B R F & A L
Adm 2^d Dist L S D
Livingtonly Nov 30 1866

Rice James H Post S Head

Transmitt report
of Freedman Schools for
the month of Nov 1866.

Recd to S D Nov 30 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., November 30 1866

Genl L. Col R. Johnston.
Chf Supt, Tex Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Colonel

I have the honor to
transmit herewith my report of the
Freedmen's Schools in the 2^d Dist L & S
for the month of November 1866.

I am Colonel

Very Respectfully

Yrs Obedt Servt

James A. Rice

Actg Supt of Schools

Supt 2^d Dist Tex Sub Dist

MA 735
Bureau R. Pub Ct L
Supts. Office 5th S. 2nd St.
Mayville Ky. Nov 30 '66

True C. D. Tapp

Has this day forwarded
to Port Bng. Genl Ins Ely,
\$60⁴⁹ on acct. of the
Refugees & Freedmens Fund
for the month of Nov 1866

Chas. L. S. D. Dec 6 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 7th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Nov 30th 1866

Genl. Cal. R. E. Johnston,

Chief Supt L. S. D.

Colonel,

I have the honor to inform you that
I have this day forwarded per Express, to Genl.
Brig. Genl. Dr. Ely \$60⁴⁰ on acct. of the Refugees
and Freedmen Fund. for the month of Nov. 1866.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Supt

J. J. Jones
Supt

Hamille Ky
Dec 1. 1866.

Bonne Ort Map & R
Supte

Acknowledges receipt of
18 Blank Claims for Hidens
Avenue of Pyre

Dear

1866

Recd L S R. Dec 3 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 1 1866

Major Col. R. E. Linton
Chief Supt. Lexington Sub-District,
Colonel,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of 18 blanks for applications for widows arrears of pay & bounty
Very Respectfully,

Wm. H. H. Smith

W. H. H. Smith

Capt. Wm. H. Smith

B R J & A L
Recd Ord 4th Dec 21/60
Mt Jurlingby Dec 3/60

Howard H. Co.
Supt

Transmits Copies of orders
for Journeys of himself &
Capt Evans, with Vouchers
Signed &c.

Recd L S D Dec 4/66

Bureau R. F. and A. Lands,

IND. QRS. 1TH DIST.,

Mt. Sterling, Ky.,

Dec 3

1866

Col R. E. Johnson

Chf Supt Liv Sub Dist

Lexington Ky

Enclosed please

find (9) Mini Copies each, of orders covering
the journals of myself and Capt Evans.
Also. Vouchers signed, which I omitted
to do so, when sent before

Very Respectfully

Your Obed Servt

W. L. Steward

Supt of Dist

RECORDED 741
Rec'd back 2^d Dist L.S.D. Dec 5-66.

B R J. & A L
Ad 2^d Dist L.S.D.
Syrington Ky Dec 5. /66

Respectfully returned to
Br Col R. E. Johnston Chf
Enpt Tex Int Dist Ky whose
attention is invited to
endorsement from J. H. Head
Ag'tre dated Versailles Ky
Dec 4. 1866.

James A. R. C.
Br St Col Ky & Capt W. B.
Enpt 2^d Dist Secy Int Dist
End 117-66

Rec'd back L.S.D. Dec 5 /66.

Bureau R & a Lands
Agents Office 2 Dist
Versailles Ky Nov 27/66

Dec 4
Respectfully returned to
but or E. Johnston chief Supt
2 S D. with the information
that one Al Kendall (col.)
went to the premises of Mr
Utterback and took away the
girl Lilly an orphan who
with her three sisters had
been left to the care of Mr
Utterback by their mother
at the time of her death.
upon those grounds Mr
Utterback got a warrant
for Kendalls arrest.

I went to the jail and saw
Kendall, he tells me he was
always treated kindly by
Utterback but did not
consider he was stealing
the girl.

Utterback is willing to
withdraw any prosecution
either by the girl being
returned or upon her
wishing to remain away
from him. he would
like a thorough
investigation of the whole
case

J. W. Read
Agent 2 Dist

Rec'd back L S A Nov 28/66

Bureau R & a Lands
Head Pro Sex Jst Dty
Lexington Ky Nov 28. 1866.

Respectfully referred to
Pvt Lt Col James H Rice
Supt 2nd Dist for
further investigation and
report.

A. E. Johnston
Pvt Col U S Vols
Chf Supt Sex Jst Dty.

End 1105-1866
Rec'd 2 Dist L S D Nov 28/66
D. R. F. H. L.

Ad. 2 Dist Sex Jst Dty
Lexington Ky Nov 28. 1866

Respectfully referred to J. M. Read
Agent 2 Dist with the informa-
tion that his report in the
Case is not at all satisfactory
You will ascertain report

what grounds the warrant
was issued for the arrest
of the negro as it does not
appear that the negro had com-
mitted any crime for which
he should be arrested or impris-
oned.

Further investigation of the
case will be made at once &
these papers to be returned with
report to these Head Quarters.

James H. Rice
Pvt Lt Col U S Vols.
Supt 2 Dist Sex Jst Dty
End 111-1866

Bureau R & a Lands
Agents Office 2 Dist
Versailles Ky Dec 4/66

respectfully returned to
Pvt Lt Col James H Rice Supt
2 Dist with the information
that on a petition filed by
Mr Utterback a warrant was
issued for the arrest of Al Kendall
charging him with abduction
he being unprepared to give
bail he was committed.
afterwards I obtained a writ
of habeas corpus. the court found
him guilty of a felony and
admitted him to bail in the sum
of \$350.00 to appear in the woodford
Circuit Court at its next
April term

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District.

Lexington, Ky., Nov 26th 1865

Mr J M Read

Agent

Sir.

It has been reported to these Head Quarters that a colored man by the name of _____ Kendall is now in jail at Versailles Ky for going to see a colored girl by the name of Lilly _____.

You will please investigate the case and report the facts to this office.

This paper to be returned with report.

Very Respectfully
Your obt servant

A J Johnston
Dist Ck U S Vols

Chf Supt Lex for Ky.

I am bel very respectfully
your obt servant
J M Read
Agent - Lexington Sub-District

This office.

This paper to be returned with

I am bel very respectfully
Your obt-servant -
J. W. Read
Agent 2. Dist

Board.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt-servant

A. J. Johnson
Agent C. & S. Wells

Wm. Wright & Co. Jan 27.

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Hd. Quarters. Lee Sub Dist
Lexington, Ky. Dec 5 1866

Johnston Capt R. E.
43rd U. S. Infantry
Chief Supt &c

Requests to be informed
whether letter referred by
endorsement, dated Nov 27th
1866. directing the arrest
of Duke, was shown him.

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. S. A.
Mayville, Ky. Dec. 10 1866

Enc 71-1866

Respectfully returned. I did
not show the letter to Duke.
He asked me to show him
Nov 15th Dist Dec 8 1866

the order for his arrest, which
I did. When I left with
Duke for Lexington, I sup-
posed I had the letter in
my pocket. When I looked
for it to deliver to you I
could not find it. You will
perhaps remember my telling
you that I must have left
the letter in my office. Since
my return I have been unable
to find it, and am entirely ab-
solute to account for its dis-
appearance

J. J. Sme
Supt

Recobuch L. S. A. Dec 12 1866

NARR 746
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 5 1866

C. J. Trues
Supt 5th Dist
Sir

I respectfully request
that you inform me whether you
showed A. D. Duke the letter I referred
to you by endorsement dated Nov 27th 1866
directing you to arrest him.

Very Respectfully
Yours obt servant
R D Johnston
Capt 4th U S Infy
Chf Supt Lex for Dg.

MAH 247
Lexington Ky
Dec 5. 1866.

Rice James H.
Pvt Lt Col 6

Invites attention to
Report of J W Read
in case of Al Kendall
(Cred)

Recd back L S H. Dec 5/66.

748
Louisville Ky
Dec 6. 1866.

Ely M Drig Gene Ino
Chf Supbr

Authorizes the purchase
of stationery for the month
of Dec 1866.

Recd L S H Dec 7. 1866

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Dec 6th 1866.

Capt R. C. Johnston
Chief Supt Lexington Ky.
Captain,

I am directed by Br^g Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comr State of Ky. to acknowledge receipt of
your letter dated Dec 4th 1866. enclosing estimate of
stationery required for use of Supts of this Bureau
in your Sub-Dist, during the month of December
1866, and in reply to inform you that you are
hereby authorized to purchase one hundred (100) quires
letter paper, seventy five (75) quires cap. paper, fifteen
hundred (1500) Official envelopes, six hundred (600) small
envelopes, twelve (12) bottles red ink, twenty five (25) sheets
blotting paper, and thirty six (36) pen holders.

I am, very respectfully,
Your Obedient Servant.

J. W. R. L.
Br^g Brig Genl U. S. Col
Chief Supt.

NARA 750
Louisville Ky
Dec 67 1866.

Ely M. Drig Gene Mo
Chf Supt

Furnishes Official Copy
of Letter from Office of
Chf Quarter Master B. A. Frazer
to mark all property Returns
as property belonging to the
Bureau.

Recd L S A. Dec 8/66

War Department
Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands
Office Chief Quartermaster
Washington Nov 27 1866.

Col Brig Genl John Ely
Chief Superintendent State of Ky
Louisville Ky.

General:

You are requested, in future before transmitting any Officers Property accounts to this Office, that you will cause such Officer to plainly mark his Returns as Property belonging to this Bureau, if such is the fact, and not previously so designated by him.

By order of Maj Genl C. O. Howard Comr

Very respectfully

Your Obedt Servt.

(Signed) Henry M Whittelsey

Col Brig Genl and Chief Dr Mr.

Official Copy.

Respectfully furnished for information and guidance of
Captain R. L. Johnston Chief Depo Lexington Sub Dist,
who will cause copies to be furnished to all commissioned
Officers under his charge.

Whittelsey
Col Brig Genl U.S.A. 1/4.

Louisville Ky
Dec 7. 1866.

D
Ely Bn Orig Gene Ins
Chf Supte

Encloses Transporlation
for Francis White & Milly
Hornes (Coca)

Recd L S D Dec 8. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Dec 7th 1866.

Capt R. I. Johnston
Chief Sup^t Lexington Ky.
Captain.

I am directed by Br^g Maj Gen Jeff C. Davis
Asst Com^r State of Ky, to enclose herewith trans-
-portation for Francis White at Milly Hines, (colored) from
Lexington to Louisville Ky, in accordance with your
request of Dec 5th 1866.

Please acknowledge receipt of the same.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient servant.

W. S. Davis

Br^g Brig Genl U. S. Arb.

Chief Sup^t.

NARA 754

Louisville Ky
Dec 7. 1866

Ely D. Drig Gene Ins
Chf Supbr

Encloses Certified Copies of
letter from Com Gene of Subsh
dated Nov 19. 1866 & letter
from Hon Secy D R F + A L
dated Nov 20 1866. relative
to the issue of rations and
anchors rations to be issued
to destitute Refugees & freedmen
not to exceed 50¢ per month
tc

(2 Encls)

Recd L S & Dec 8 / 66.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Dec 7th 1866.

Capt R. C. Johnston
Chief Sub-District Lexington Ky.
Captain.

I am directed by Post Maj Gen Jeff L. Davis
Asst Comr State of Ky. to enclose herewith certified
copies of circular letter from Office Comr Genl of Subsistence
dated Nov 19th 1866, and letter from War Dept Bureau R. & F.
and A. L. Washington D. C. dated Nov 20th 1866, relative to the
issue of rations, and to inform you that you are hereby
authorized to issue to destitute Refugees and Freedmen
in your sub-District such rations as you may deem
necessary not exceeding five hundred (500) rations per
month, from this date until March 1st 1867.

The Requisitions must be approved by the Assistant
Commissioner, and should be forwarded to this Office,
accompanied by a letter fully setting forth the
necessity for the issue.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

Wm. L. G. W.

Post Brig Genl U. S. A. Chief Asst

War Department
Bureau of Refugees Freedmen & Lands
Washington, November 20th, 1866

General:

I am, directed by Maj Genl Howard
to transmit herewith, a copy of Circular
Letter of date Nov 19th from Office of the Commis-
sary General of Subsistence, and approved by
the Commissioner, with regard to, the issue of
rations by Commissaries of Subsistence upon
proper requisitions of Officers of this Bureau
and to say that he wishes you to be governed
accordingly.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
Signed, A. P. Ketchum
Actg Asst Adjt. Genl

To
Maj Genl H. H. Harris
Adj Genl
Louisville Ky

A true copy
Levi J. Burnett
Litho & Engr. H. A. H. G. G.

Office Com^d Genl of Subsistence,
Washington City, Nov^y, 19th, 1866.
Circular Letter.

Sir:

1. In cases specially approved by the Commissioner of the Bureau of Refugees Freedmen and Abandoned Lands. Assistant Commissioners are authorized to obtain from the Subsistence Department such Subsistence Stores as they may require for issue.

2. Officers on duty in the Subsistence Department will promptly fill, as far as their available supplies will permit, all properly approved requisitions from Assistant Commissioners.

Very Respectfully, Sir.

Your obedient Servant

(Signed) A. B. Eaton

C. D. Sub

I concur in the above. Officers in the Freedmen's Bureau will be governed accordingly.

(Signed) O. O. Howard

Maj Genl Comm'r

A true copy

Levi F. Burnett

Lieut Col Res Corps. A. A. Genl

HEAD-QUARTERS MILITARY DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY,

Louisville, Ky., December 13th 1866.

SPECIAL ORDERS,

No. 92

I In accordance with authority received from War Department Lieut. P. H. Flood 2nd Infantry, and Assistant Commissary of Subsistence at Lexington Ky, is directed to issue on Ration Returns made or approved by Colonel R. E. Johnston Superintendent P. F. W. A. L. at Lexington, Ky, rations amounting to not over five hundred (500) per month. Lieut. Flood will forward his abstract of issues with vouchers, to General J. C. Davis Comdg. District, 2d Asst. Commissioner of P. F. W. A. L. for approval

BY COMMAND OF BRVT. MAJ. GEN'L. JEF. C. DAVIS.

Colonel R. E. Johnston
Supt. P. F. W. A. L.

W. F. Dwyer

Brvt. Lt. Col. & A. A. A. General.

Louisville Ky

Dec 8. 1866.

Chy Bn Brig Genl Ins
Chf Supt

Directs that copies
of all orders assigning
or relieving Army officers
in Lex for Dky be sent
Suni

Recd L S A Dec 10/66

WAR 760

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., December 8th 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky.
Captain.

I am directed by Brig Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Kentucky, to instruct you to
forward to this Office, a copy of the order by
which Officers reporting to you, were assigned to duty
in this Bureau; and hereafter, at the date thereof,
copies of the orders assigning Officers to, or relieving
them from duty in your Sub-District.

The above instructions are intended to include
all orders assigning and relieving Army Officers from
duty, issued at your Head Quarters from the date
it was established.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

J. S. Scales

Brig Genl U. S. Vol.
Chief Supt.

Lanville Ky

Dec 8. 1866.

George D. Maf M
Supr

Report in Loyalty Cases
in Doyle & Palanski Cases

Recd to S. A. Dec 10/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 9th 1866

Brvt Colonel R. C. Johnston
Chf. Supt. & Sub. Dist.
Colonel,

I have the honor to return
herewith letters making inquiry as to the loyalty of
persons in Boyle and Pulaski Cos. I have placed
the word loyal opposite the name of each of these
men, all being strictly loyal men.

Very Respectfully,

Wm Abbott Smith
W. R. Bourne

Capt. & Rot. Maj. M. S. Wells

NARA 763
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 4th 1866

Mr Maj A A Bourne
Supt 1st Dist
Macon.

I have the honor to request
that you furnish me with information
concerning the past & present Loyalty of
the following named persons.

✓ Lemmis Soper	Boyle Corky	Loyal
✓ Addison Mitchell	"	Loyal
✓ Wellington Kearsland	"	Loyal
✓ Peter B Mason	"	Loyal
✓ C Collins Moore	"	Loyal
✓ A N Eastland	"	Loyal
✓ Noah Kewndley	"	Loyal
✓ Mo Dorsey	"	Loyal
✓ Richd Laurence	"	Loyal
✓ Henry P Bottom	"	Loyal
✓ I Goodnight	"	Loyal
✓ James Murphy	"	Loyal

✓ David H Williams Boyle Cnty Loyal
 ✓ Jno H Shelby " Loyal
 ✓ Jno C Williams " Loyal
 ✓ Milton J Durham " Loyal
 ✓ Leonard Taylor (decd) Boyle or Mercer Counties Loyal
 ✓ Jno Terrey " " Loyal
 ✓ Jno Caldwell " " Loyal

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servant

~~R. S. Johnson~~
 Capt #3rd US Infy
 Chf Supt Dep for KY

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 4th 1865

Br Maj W A Gourme
Capt 1st Dist
Major.

I have the honor to
request that you furnish me with
information in relation to the past or
present Loyalty of

Brig-Ad Sloan	Pulaski. Co Ky	Loyal.
James Roberson	"	Loyal.
Herley G. Goren	"	Loyal.

Very Respectfully
Yr obt servant.

A J Johnston
Capt 4th US Infy
Chf Supt Lexington.

B 170 1866

St. Des. Mil. Dist of Ky
Office Chief Dr. Master
Louisville Dec 10. 1866.

Brigham J. D. Col
Insp. D. M. Dept.
Brig Genl USA

Encloses three (3) Lists
of claims against the
D. M. Dept. which have
been referred to him
for report as to the
justice of the same &
requests the Chf Supt.
& I to obtain the infor-
mation through the Agts
of the Bureau

Recd A. C. O. Ky Dec 10. 66.

Bureau Refugees Fed A. Land,
Asst Comm. Office, State of Ky.
Louisville Dec 11. 1866.

Respectfully forwarded to
Capt R. E. Johnston 43d U. S. I.
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky,
who is directed to obtain all
the information asked for in
the within request of Brig
Genl J. D. Brigham, Col
at Insp. D. M. D., as early as
practicable, and report to this
office.

Capt Johnston will also
render to Genl Brigham all
personal assistance in his
power to facilitate the speedy
accomplishment of his mission.

By Order of Brig Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis.

Asst Comm. State of Ky.
John R. Ly
Brig Genl U. S. A.
Chief Supt.
Enc 1309. 1866.

Recd L. S. D. Dec 12 1866.

(copy)

Headquarters Military District of Kentucky,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER.

Louisville, Ky., December 10th 1866.

Brig Genl John Bg
Chief Supt Bureau R. F. A. S.
Louisville Ky.

General,

I have the honor to enclose herewith three lists of claims against the Quartermasters Departments, which have been referred to me for investigation and report, as to the justice of the same.

I will thank you to obtain for me, through the Agents of your Bureau, the following information relative to the claims, viz:

- 1st Have the claimants been loyal to the United States during the rebellion?
- 2^d What evidence have the claimants, that the property was taken by officers of the Government for the use of the Army of the United States.
- 3^d Was the data for the claims solicited from the claimants, and if so, by whom?
- 4th What fees were charged and paid for preparing the claims?
- 5th To what extent is the person who prepared the claim

interested in the same?

6th Did each claimant write his signature to the affidavit supporting the claim?

7th Did the witnesses actually witness the signature of the claimant, and did the witnesses write their signatures as such

8th If any of the claimants or witnesses cannot be found, please state the reason.

The lists are arranged for the Agents at Louisville, Lexington and Bowling Green.

You will much oblige me by directing that the information required be collected as speedily as possible, and forwarded to your Office in this City, with the accompanying Lists.

I am General, very respectfully

Your Obedt Servant,

(Signed)

J. D. Bingham.

Col at Insp L. M. S.

Brig Genl U. S. A.

A true Copy

Levi L. Burnett.

Print J. R. b. A. A. A. Genl.

B. R. J. & A. L.
Ad Cro & Dist L. & D. Ky
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 10th 66

Howard H. L.
Supra

Lucas Morris Skinner Capt
by stage to be sent to
Hospital at Louisville Ky

Bureau R. F. M. & Land
Hd Qrs Lex Sub Dist
Lexington Dec 15th 66.

Respectfully returned to
H. L. Howard who is di-
rected in future when he
wishes to forward fit
subjects to the Louisville
Hospital to make appli-
cation to these Head
Quarters to do so. We
have no accommodations
here for such subjects
and it generally takes
three or four days before
transportation can be
procured to Louisville

Capt H. B. - W. S. Driftly
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

Recd L. S. & Dec 11/66

B. R. J. & A. L.
Hd Qrs. 4th Dist L S D Ky
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 10th 1866

R. E. Johnston
Brig. Gen. & Chf Supt
Lexington Ky
Col.

I send by the
Stage Mary Skinner col^d who is a fit
subject for the Hospital at Louisville &
please have her sent on as soon as
practicable,

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt
H C Howard
Capt 4th Dist L S D Ky

Bureau L. F. & L. N. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. S. D.
Maysville, Ky Dec 10th 1860

True C. D. Supb

Requests that a supply
of blank Vouchers, Returns &c
be forwarded to him as soon
as convenient.

Recd L. S. D. Dec 12/60

MAILED 772
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. I. D.
Maysville Ky. Dec. 10 1866

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt L. I. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Capt. I have the honor to request that the following blank Vouchers, Returns &c be forwarded to me as soon as convenient viz:

- 10 Setts Teachers A: 22
- 12 Returns of Receipts & Expenditures
- 12 Reports Bureau R. F. & A. L.
- 12 Returns G. M. Stores A: 23
- 12 Reports of Schools.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obt. Servant

J. J. True
Supt

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
H. A. Qu. Ser. Sub. Diet
Lexington, Ky. Dec 11 1866

Johnston Capt R. E.
Chief Supt. &c

Directs that all the pa-
pers in case of O. B. Duke
be sent to him at once.

Recd back L S A Dec 13 1866

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. D. L. L. L.
Mayville, Ky. Dec 14 1866

Respectfully returned. All
the papers in this case were
forwarded Dec. 10th. I am
satisfied that Duke must
have stolen the letter of

H. E. Howard on the night
I arrested him, as I was
writing a letter to his mother.
I cannot account for its
disappearance in any other
manner.

End 76
1866

J. J. True
Supt

Recd back L S A Dec 14 1866

NARA 774
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 11 1866

C. I. Truett

Supt & Dist

Sir

You are hereby directed
to send me all the papers in the
Case of O. B. Duke at once

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

R. E. Johnson

Capt 43rd Infy

Chf Supt Lex for Dty.

J H 20 66

Bureau Refugees & A.R.s

Lexington Ky, Dec 11th, 1866

Johnston R.E. Capt & 3rd Lt
Chief Superintendent

Requests authority to purchase fuel for use of Sublets & Agents of his Subdist.

Recd U. S. C. H. No. 12-1866

Bureau R.I. & A.Lands

Asst Comm'r Office State of Ky

Cincinnati Dec 12 66

Respectfully returned to Capt R.E. Johnston
USA Chief Superint'd
Lexington Ky., who is hereby authorized to purchase the Fuel (Coal) within mentioned

By order of
Bot Maj Gen Jeff C Davis
Asst Comm'r State of Ky

J. W. W. W.

Bot Brig Gen Wm
Chief Superint'd

Recd back L. S. C. H.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Dist-Mississippi,

Lexington, Miss. Dec 11th 1866

Port Bragg Genl John Ely.
 Chf Supt State Ry
 General.

I have the honor to respectfully request that I may be allowed to purchase the following amounts of Fuel for the use of the Offices of the various Supts and Agents of this District

Port Bragg Supt J. H. Rice	25 Bushels Coal
J. H. Read agent	15 " "
J. H. Finnell agent	15 " "
J. G. Kaine agent	15 " "
C. C. McNeely agent	15 " "
Lewis Lundeum agent	15 " "
J. L. Roman agent	15 " "
H. H. Kohler agent	15 " "
A. H. Hutchcraft agent	15 " "

C. I. Mc	Supt	20	Bushels	Coal
A. S. Bloom	Agt	15	"	"
Dr R. D. Tuggle.	Act Det Surgeon	15	"	"
H. C. Howard	Supt	1 1/2	Cords	Hard.

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servant

[Signature]

Capt #3 US Infy

Chf Supt Lex for Dy.

NARR 778
B R J, & A L
Hd Cr 4th Dist
Mistaken Dec 11/66
J

Monard H. C.

States that he has used
all means to find the
Whomabouts of the following
persons viz

Elizabeth M Van Dyck

J. M. Marlin

Jos. C. Sutherland

Thos. C. Piles

Wm. S. McCall

B. J. Melan

They are not residents
of Bourbon County Ky
J

Head Quarters 4th Dist. L.D.
Bureau R. F. and A. Lands
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 11th 1866

R. C. Johnston
Capt 43rd U.S. I.
Chf Supt Lexington Ky
Capt.

I have used every
means to find out the whereabouts of
the following named persons

Elizabeth M. Van Dyck

L. M. Martin

Gas C. Sutherland

Thos L. Biles

Wm S. McCall

B. J. Milam

The above are not Citizens
of Bourbon County. Nor do their names appear
in any of the Records of that County, and
the oldest Citizens do not recognize
the names.

over.

I am Capt
Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt

H. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist L. I. Regt

Dec 24 1866
Bureau Refugee St. A. L. S.
Lexington Ky. Dec 11th 66

Johnston R. E. Capt 43rd
Chief Supdt

Forwards, for approval
of the Chief Supdt State
of Ky requisitioning for
500 rations, for issue
to the sick and destitute
Refugees & Freedmen of
his District.

Recd A. B. O. Ky Dec 12 1866

Bureau Refugee St. A. L. S.
Asst. Comm. Office State Ky
Louisville Dec 4th 66

Respectfully returned
to Capt R. E. Johnston
113 U. S. Infy. Chief
Supdt. Lexington
who is authorized
to draw rations for
Refugees & Freedmen
in accordance with
provisions of Enclosure
Order (S. A. P. 1) of
1st Maj Genl J. F. Davis
Comd Mil Dist Ky.
Asst Comm &c

By order
1st Maj Genl J. F. Davis
Asst Comm State Ky

John E. Kelly
1st Brig Genl
Chief Supdt

End 1340. 1866

Recd back L. S. B. Dec 10 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 11th 1866

Mr Brig Genl John Ely.
 Chf Supt State Ky
 General.

I have the honor to
 transmit herewith for your Approval
 Provision return for the month of December
 1866 for Five Hundred (500) rations for issue
 to the sick and destitute Refugees & Freedmen
 of this District.

I would respectfully state that there
 are a large number of women white
 and Black with large families to support
 in the Cities and towns of this District.
 Exceedingly poor, and have very hard
 work to get along, and when they get
 sick they and their families are at
 once in a starving condition.

I feel confident with
 Five Hundred rations the Agents of

the Bureau can relieve much suffering
and I therefore most earnestly request
that this requisition may meet with
your favorable consideration.

I am General

Very Respectfully

Your Obt Servant

~~A E Johnston~~

~~Capt 4th U S Infy.~~

~~Chf Surgt Dep for Dtg.~~

NARA 784
Lexington Ky
Dec 12. 1866.

Bingham I. D.
Post Brig Genl &c

Instructions as to the
Manner of investigating
Loyalty Cases &c

Recd L & A Dec 12/66 -

Lexington, Ky. Dec 12. 66.

Col. A. E. Johnson
Lexington, Ky.

Colonel:

In collecting the information requested in reference to the Claimants, witnesses, from on the lists handed you to day when the Claimants are known by your Agents to be disloyal, it is not necessary to pursue the investigation any further. It is only in the cases of Claimants known to be loyal that all the information is desired. In the cases of disloyal Claimants, it is only necessary to so report them

It will be observed that ^{the names of} some of the witnesses accompany several claims. In examining them, much time may be saved by carefully looking over the list, and then examining them with reference to each claim that they have witnessed

Many of the Claimants have acted as witnesses to other claims. The same remarks will apply to them.

Please forward the information, as fast as received, to Gen. Ely at Louisville. It is not necessary to wait until all is collected before forwarding. Send the list with the last information forwarded.

I will request Col. Lovell to send the

information he collects, direct to Gen. Ely, and
thus save the time necessary to forward through
your office.

If the claimants and witnesses are not found at
the places indicated on the lists, it is not necessary
to hunt them up. A report that they cannot be
found will be sufficient.

I am, General, very respectfully

Your obt. Servt.

H. D. Trajhan

Col. & Ins. Insp.

Col. Brig. Gen. Lisa

Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. L. L. A.
Mayoville, Ky Dec 12 1865

Trus C. D. Supt

Requests that an order
to cover his actual expenses
in transporting O. B. Duke
to Lexington, be furnished
him.

Recd L. S. L. Dec 14 1865

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BUREAU Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

MARR 788
N
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Decr. 12th 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Captain—

Will you please send me the order to cover my actual expenses, incurred in transporting W. Duke to Lexington. This will include the transportation of The Guard and myself, amounting in all to \$57⁰⁰. The names of the guard are Thomas Burns and Schultz Leach.

I have the honor to be,
Very Respy. Yrs. O. M. Smith
Supt

NARA 789
Danville Ky

Dec 13. 1866

Gomme Dr onaf MR
Lupte

Acknowledges receipt of
Blanks & Cuculans

Recd L. S. dr. Dec 14 / 66

RECEIVED
BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 12th 1866

Captain R. E. Shurten
Chf. Supt. So. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Inspector

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of blanks for monthly reports for December.

Also duplicate copies of circulars
Nos 9-10-11 & 12. (Claims Division) and
Circular No. 12 War Department Bureau R. F.
& A. Lands

Very respectfully,

Yours Obedt Servt.

W. C. Worsum

Capt. & Rob. Maj' W. L. C.

B R J. And A L.
Hd Co 4th Dist L. S. A
M. J. Hartman Dec 13 1866

Harvard H. C.
Sept 10.

Acknowledges Receipt of the
following Stationery.

20 Quire Letter Paper

10 " Cap do

200 Official Envelopes

50 Letter do

50 Steel Pens

8 Pen Holders

3 Lead Pencils

3 doz Gum bands

1 Bot Red Ink.

Recd L. S. A Dec 13/66

Bureau R. 7th and A. D.
Head Quarters 4th Dist L. S. A.
Mount Sterling Ky Dec 13th 1866

R. E. Johnston
Capt. 43rd U. S. Infy.
Lexington Ky

I have the honor to
acknowledge the receipt of the following
Stationery:

20 Quire Letter Paper
10 " Cap Paper
250 Official Envelopes.
50 Letter " "
4 Sheets Blotting Paper
50 Steel Pens
8 Pen Holders.
3 Lead Pencils
3 doz Gum Bands
1 Bot Red Ink.

Very Respectfully
Yr Obedt Servt
H. C. Howard
Supt. 4th Dist L. S. A.

Nicholasville Ky
Dec 13 1866.

Name Mrs G.
Agent

Asks for an Order
to visit Garand Co to
investigate Loyalty Cases.

Recd L S L Dec 13/66.

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands

919 Dist - Lex Sub Dist 14
Nicholasville Dec 13/86

Bert. Col R. E. Johnson

Sir

I would respectfully suggest that you issue a special order for me to go to Haman county to obtain evidence in those Loyalty cases. It is absolutely necessary that I should go, as I cannot possibly obtain the desired information in any other way.

I also want twenty bushels of coal for my office, please send order to purchase it.

I am very respectfully

your obt servant

J. L. Harris

Agent Bureau R. F. & A. L.

Jess - Haman + Madison Co.

MA 795
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Supts. Office S. L. L. S. L.
Maysville Ky. Dec 13 1866

True C. D. Supb

Acknowledges the re-
ceipt of Stationery.

Recd L. S. L. Dec 13 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 75 DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. Dec. 13th 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston,
Chief Supt L. S. D.
Lexington, Ky.

Captain,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt this day per Adams' Ex., the following Stationery.

20 Quires Letter Paper	50 Steel Pens
10 " Cap "	5 Pen Holders
200 Official Envelopes	3 Lead Pencils
50 Small "	3 doz Gum Bands
3 Sheets Plotting Paper	1 Bot Red Ink

Very Respectfully,

Your Obt. Supt

C. J. True
Supt.

B. N. J. & A. L.
Wd. Cro. 4th Dist. E.D.
Washingtⁿ City Dec. 14th 1866.

Howard H. Co.
Supt. H. Co.

States that he has used
all diligence to correct
John Henry Brown white, and
from reliable information that
he is at either Charlottesville
or Warrenton Va.

Recd & S. D. Dec. 17, 1866.

RECEIVED
Bureau Refugees & Freedmen
Head Quarters 4th Dist. S. D.
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 14 1864

R. E. Johnston
Capt 43rd U S Infy
Chf Supt.

Lexington Ky. Capt

I have the honor
to inform you that I have used all diligence
to secure the arrest of John Henry Hunt -
from reliable information received. It is presumed
that he is either at or near Carlisle in Nicholas
County Ky, or at his brother's near Lexington Ky.
(out of my district.)

I am Capt.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servt

H. C. Howard

Supt. & Asst
T. S. D. Ky.

448799
Maysville Ky
Dec 14. 1866

Trne C. I
Suft

In regard to the letter
directing the arrest of
J. Duke. believes
Duke stole it from him
be

Recd L. S. A. Dec 17. 1866

N^o 267. 1866.

War Department
Bureau of Refugees and Lands
Washington Dec 15th 1876

Howard Q. C. Maj Genl Amer
by Henry W. Whitelkey B. Brig Genl
B. Genl

acknowledge receipt of Robtly
Accounts. Stores pertaining
to Bureau Refugee Mission
and Abau d Lands for the
month of Nov 1854.

Recd A. B. O. 14 Dec 1891 866

Bureau Refugees F & A Sands
Asst Comm's Office State of Ky.
Louisville Ky. Dec 18. 66.

Respectfully forwarded
to Capt R. E. Johnston
U.S.A. Chief Supdt &c
Lexington Ky

By order of
 Port Maj Genl J^{es} C Davis
 Asst Comy State of Ky

John Dly
Bot Brig Gentlms
Chippendale.

Chippendale
Inv 7358. 1866

Recd L S Dec 19. 1866.

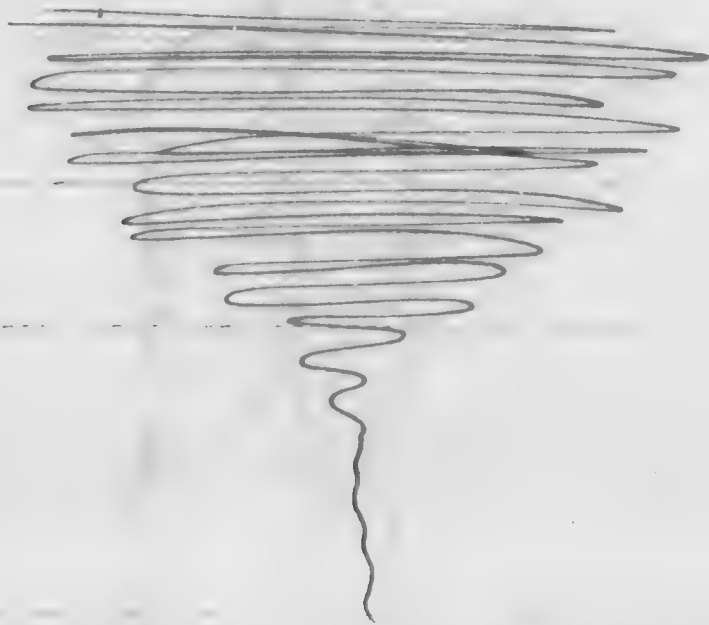
(Form 3.)

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER.

Washington, Dec 13th, 1866

Sir:

Your Property accounts "Stores pertaining to the Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands" for the month of November 1866, have been received, examined and forwarded to Chief Auditor of the Treasury for final examination and settlement.



By order of Maj. Genl. C. C. Howard, Commr.

Very Respectfully, Your Obedient Servant.

3d Col R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt. Lexington Ky
3d Brig Genl John Ely
Chf Supt. State Ky

Henry M. Whittier
Lieut. Brig. Genl., and Chief Q. M.
Bureau R. F. & A. L.

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Louisville Ky
Dec 15. 1866

Ely D M Drig Gene Ins
Chf Supbr

Encloses duplicate Invoices
and receipts for signature

Recd L S D Dec 17. 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec. 15th 1866.

Off. B. C. Johnston
 Capt. J. H. Johnston Sub-Dist
 Lexington Ky
 Capt.

I have the honor to
 enclose herewith Invoice & Receipts of
 Stationery & over to you on the 10th inst.
 Please sign Receipts and return
 them to this Office at your earliest
 convenience.

Very Respectfully
 Yours G. B. Cook.

Wm. H. H. H.
 Dist. Dir. Gen. U.S.
 Capt. State of Ky.

7443 1866

Bureau Refuges & A Lands
Lexington Dec 17th 1866

Johnston R. E. Capt & 3rd US
Chief Supdt &c

Requests information as
to whether a check has
been forwarded to Mr
Howard Supdt &c for services
for the month of Novr 1866

Bureau Refuges & A Lands
Asst Genl Office State of Ky
Louisville Ky. Dec 19th 1866

Respectfully returned to
Capt R. E. Johnston Chief
Supdt &c Lexington Ky. with
the information that
Mr. Howard Supdt &c was
paid when he was at this
office Dec 6th 1866 for his ser-
vices for Novr 1866

By order of

Bt Maj Gen Jeff Davis
Asst Genl State of Ky

John Rly

Bt Brig Genl W. H. Vicks
Chief Supdt &c

Encl 1363 1866

Recd A. L. O. 18 Dec 19th 1866

Rec'd back L. S. H. Dec 20/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 17th 1866

Brig Genl John Ely
Chief Supt State Ky
Louisville Ky.

Genl.

I have the honor
to respectfully request to know if a check has
been forwarded to W C Howard Supt 4th Dist Lex
Sub Dist. for services for the month of Nov. 1866.

I see that checks have been forwarded
to all the other Supt Agents of this Dist, and
I ask this question, so that if one has been forwarded
to Mr Howard and been misplaced or lost by
mail, we can at once take steps to look it up

I am General

Very Respectfully
Yours Oth Gert

A S Johnston

Captain 4th & 8th Supts
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist

Louisville Ky
Dec 17. 1866

Ely J. M. Brigg Gene Ins
Chf Supt

Encloses duplicate
Invoices & Receipts to
be signed

Recd L. S. H Dec 18/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec 1 / 1866

Capt. B. E. Johnston
Chief Capt. Langston Sub Dist
Langston Ky.
Capt.:

I have the honor
to enclose herewith Invoice & Receipts of
Stationery purchased by Geo. W. Moore
Beale & White.

Also Invoice & Receipts of
Geo. W. Moore purchased of Messrs. Wingate
& Co. E. H. Parrish & Co. and Mr. A. D.
Arshong.

Please sign Receipts & return them
to this Office at your earliest convenience.
Daw. Capt.

Very Respectfully
Yours for Capt.

Blundy
Adj. Dir. U.S. &
Chief Capt. State of Ky

Bureau R. H. & ad

H^o G^o 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.

Covington Ky Dec 17th 1866

Respectfully forwarded to
W. Col R. E. Johnston Chief
Gapt. Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
whose attention is invited to
Enclosed report of C. C. Mc
Neely. in reference to the
Loyalty of Wm J. Rees and
Geo J. Waldrop of Owen
County Ky.

Wm. Graham
M^o Capt and Supt.

Recd L S D Dec 19 1866

Covington Ky

Dec 17. 1866

Graham Dr Capt and S
Supt

In regard to Loyalty of
Wm J Rees
Geo Waldrop of
Owen Co Ky.

Recd L S D Dec 19 1866

Head Quarters 73 72 F & L
 Warsaw Ky Dec 12th 1866

MS Neely. b. b.
 Agt. 73 72 F & L

Reports insurance
 to Layath of Wm J. Rice.
 & Geo. F. Waldrop of
 Owen County, Kentucky

Read Ind 73.12.7.8 & L.

Warsaw Kentucky Dec. 12th 1865

Genl.

I have the honor to make following report in reference to the Loyalty of Wm. T. Rice and Geo. F. Waldrop of Green County Co. Ky. I summoned said men three different times to appear at my office.

They have failed to appear on said court and evidence in their favor.

From evidence of my own observation I find the cause of their failing to report is that they are fearful of being arrested for some of the many disloyal acts they committed during the war. I have evidence that they were during the war & are up to this date disloyal to the Government of the United States.

Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.

C. C. McNeely

Lt. B. R. F. & L.

Station to his

J. F. Rice }
Bvt Lt. Col. U.S.A. }

Bureau R H Ad
H^o G^os Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Oct 24th 1866

Rice James M
W^o Lt Col and Act^y Chief Supt. E. & W. 1st

Requests information as to the
loyalty of the following named
^{William} H. J. Rice throughout the rebellion
Geo F Waldrop in Aug^r 1864 & since

Bureau R H Ad
H^o G^os 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky Nov 6th 1866

Respectfully referred to
C. C. M^o Neely Esq^r Agent at
Warsaw for investigation and report
This paper to be returned
Jno. S. Mahan
W^o Capt & Supt

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Oct 24th 1866

Lieut Geo L. Graham

Supt 3rd Dist

Lieut

I have the honor to request that you furnish me with information regarding the Loyalty of the following named persons of Owen County Ky.

Wm J Rees throughout the rebellion and since
Geo F Haldrop in Aug 1862 & since

Very Respectfully

Your obt servant

James A. Rini

Post Lt Col U S V

Acting Chf Supt Lexington Sub-District

Georgetown Ky
Dec 18th 1866.

Finnell J N
Agent

Report to Lepe Cannon
Melissa Chambers and
Mary E Cannon Disloyal

Recd L S D. Dec 19 1866

Bureau R. F. & A. Sands
Hed Ex Sec Sub Dist
Geo Town & Colo Ky
Dec 18th 1866

Respectfully returned
to Col R. E. Johnson Chief
Capt R. F. & A. Sands
with information that each
of the within named parties
are disloyal, one from
the Commencement & the
other two have been approx
imating until they have
gone into it.

J. N. Finnell agt
for R. F. & A. Sands

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District.

Lexington, Ky., Dec 15-1866

J N Fennell

Agent to

Sir

Please furnish me with
information regarding Loyalty of

Jose Cannon
Melissa Chambers
Mary E Cannon

Scott Corky

"

"

Very Respectfully
Your obt servant

R J Johnston
Capt 43rd Inf
Chf Supt Lex for Dg.

NARA 815
Lanville Ky
Dec 18. 1866.

Goodloe William

In regard to Loyalty of
Henry Bruce. Same Bruce &
Harrison Bruce of Doyle

Recd L S at Dec 21/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 15 1865

Capt Wm Gordloe

Sir

Please furnish me
with information regarding the Loyalty
of the following persons.

Henry Grace

Doyle - Co 14

Same Grace

"

Harrison Grace

"

Very Respectfully
Yr obt servant

R E Johnston
Capt 43rd Inf 5
Chf Supr Lex Sub Dg.

March 17
Danville 18th 1866

Dear Sir

Mr Henry Bruce of this county
is regarded as a legal man but the
three persons ^{injured about} are colored soldiers, Samuel
and Harrison Bruce,

Truly
William Goodhue

Stanford Ky
Dec 18. 1866.

Laudum Lewis
Agent

In regard to Loyalty
of Miss Doyle. Mr E
Lanson. Mr M Fish
& Chas Potter.

Recd L S D Dec 20/66

Stanford Ky 18th Dec 1866
 Capt R E Johnston 43 US Infy
 Chf Supt Lex Sub Dist Ky

Captain

In answer to

yours of the 13th Inst I report that there is no
 such person ⁱⁿ Lincoln County as John C Carson
 there is a man by the name of John C Carson
 a Hotel Keeper at Crab Orchard who I report
 as disloyal - Wise F Doyle is loyal
 There is no such person in Laurel County as
 Charles Potel there is one Charles Potet who
 is loyal - John M Fish is strictly loyal

Very Respectfully yours &c

L. J. Landrum Agent
 Bureau R. F. & L. Land

Head Qr Bureau R. F. & L.
Warsaw Ky Dec. 19th / 8. 66

Mc Neely, C. C.

Agt. B. R. F. & L.

Asks that leave of absence
be granted him for (5) five
days to take effect the 25th
Inst.

Recd L. F. L. Dec 20/66

Bureau R. F. & L.
H. Qs 3rd Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky Dec 20/66

Respectfully forwarded
to 13th Brig Genl. John Ely
Chief Supt Ky. (then H. Qs
Lexington Sub Dist Ky) with
recommendation that the
application of C. C. McNeely
agent at Warsaw be approved

J. M. Mahan
W. C. Lest & Supt

Head Quarters Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Warsaw, Ky. Dec. 19th 1866

General

I have the honor to apply for leave of
Absence for (5) Five days. Based upon the following
reasons, My wife is at Lexington Ky, has a young Baby
that I have never seen. I ask that a leave be
granted me for (5) Five days to take effect from the
25th Inst.

Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

C. C. McNeely

Agt. B. & A. L.

Warsaw, Ky.

Brut Brig Gen John C. 3
Chief Supt Louisville Ky 3

Lanville Ky

Dec 19. 1866.

Bonne Int Map NA

Supb

Makes report in cases
of Loyalty for Rockcastle
Co Ky

Recd L S R. Dec 20, 1866.

Lexington Ky,
Dec. 4th / 86

Schurten R. E.
Capt. & Chf. Supt. L. S. R.

Asks as to the loyalty
of persons residing in
Rockcastle Co Ky

Bureau R. L. & A. Smith
Hdqr. 1st Dist. L. S. R.
Danville Ky Dec. 19th / 86

Respectfully returned to
Captain R. E. Schurten
Chf. Supt. Lexington Ky,
whose attention is invited
to remarks opposite the
name of each man.
The within information is
furnished by S. Sanderson
Agent F. and is reliable
W. R. Burrows
Capt. & Chf. Supt. M. S. R.

Recd back L. S. R. Dec 20 / 86

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 4th 1865

Gen Maj H A Bourne
 Supt 1st Dist
 Major.

I have the honor to
 request that you furnish me with information
 concerning the ^{past and present} Loyalty of the following named
 persons.

✓ Abraham Peeples	Rockcastle Co Ky.	Loyal
M G. Hilmoth	"	Disloyal
✓ Geo Simes	"	Loyal
✓ Wm Kippinge	"	Loyal
✓ C L Harrold	"	Loyal
✓ Jas F Hallin	"	Loyal
✓ Edward Haggard	"	Loyal
✓ A J. Singleton	"	Loyal
✓ Jno M Singleton	"	Loyal
✓ Elisha Bullock	"	Loyal
✓ Wm Bullock	"	Loyal
✓ A J. Moore	"	Loyal

over

Very Respectfully
Your 'Oblt Servant

~~C. P. Johnston~~
Capt 43rd U S Infy
Chf Supt Lx for 574.

Louisville Ky
Dec 19. 1866.

Ely B. D. Drig Gene Ins
Chf Supt

Encloses duplicate Receipts
for Clothing, the receipts
are designed to show what
disposition was made of
them.

Recd L. S. D. Dec 20 1866

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., December 19th 1866.

Capt. R. E. Johnson,
43. U.S. Infantry.

Lexington Ky.

Captain.

I have the
honor to enclose herewith duplicate
receipt for Clothing sent you by Express
on the 18th inst. for distribution to the
destitute Freedmen in your District.

The receipts (which please sign
and return to this office) are desired to show
to the donors what disposition has been
made of the articles.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

Wm. E. Bly
Rt. Brig. Gen. U.S.A.
Chief Supt. &c.

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Falmouth Ky
Dec 20th 1866

Blom A S
Agent

In regard to Loyalty
of Geo Cummins
Mr Worley &
Mr H Smith of
Harris & Cosh.

Recd L S & Dec 22/66.

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Office Rendition & Harison Emory
Bureau Refuges F. L. A. Lands
Captain

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter, and have delayed
answering to get the information you desired.
Geo. Cummings and John Woolery
have always been rebels, and John
W. Smith was a Union man in the
Commencement of the rebellion, and
after President Lincoln's Emancipation
Proclamation was issued he turned over
with the rebels.

Very Respectfully
Yours truly
A. S. Bloom
Agent

Capt - R. E. Johnson
Chief Supt - Dep. Supt
Lexington
Ky

Louiseville Ky
Dec 20. 1866.

Ely Dn Orig Gene John
Chf Supt

Encloses duplicate Invoices
and Receipts for Lumber
Nails & purchased from
E M Fune & Handy Howlett

Recd L Sd. Dec 21. 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 30th 1866.

Col Capt. R. E. Johnston
Chief Capt. Livingston Lab Dist
Livingston Ky.
Capt.

I have the honor to
enclose herewith Invoice & Receipts of
Lumber, Nails &c. purchased from Mr.
E. M. Turner ^{and} Mr. Hender Horrocks.
Please sign & return Receipts
to this Office at your earliest convenience.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obedt Servt

John H. Dudley
John H. Dudley
Chief Capt State of Ky

Louisville Ky

Dec 20. 1866

Chy Br Brig Genl Geo
Chf Supt

Encloses sample forms
to be attached to acts
of Civilian Employees
No 17 & 20

Recd L S D. Dec 21/66.

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., December 20th 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky.
Captain.

In compliance with instructions from the Chief Disb. Officer Bureau R. E. A. S. Washington D. C. I have the honor to inform you that all accounts of citizen Supts and Agents of this Bureau, for Postage and actual travelling expenses (forms No 20 & 17) must be prepared as per enclosed sample forms.

The accounts must be sworn to before a civil Magistrate, or some person duly authorised to administer oaths, (not a commissioned officer) instead of merely a certificate as heretofore.

Commissioned Officers are not required to swear to the correctness of their accounts, but make them as heretofore.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

Blairly

Post Office, Louisville, Ky.

Chief Supt. & Disb. Officer.

MAILED 234
Bureau R. F. & A. L.
Hed On 4th Dec L.S.D
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 21 1866

Howard. H. C.
Supt.

Encloses Receipts for services
for the month of Nov & Dec
viz

John J. Evans	\$50.00	Service
W. W. Leayle	73.75	Service
R. W. Stutchcraft	73.75	Service
Joe Mitchell	10.00	Rent
M. Q. Ashby	8.00	Rent
J. L. Romar	8.00	
H. C. Howard	12.00	Postage
H. C. Howard	97.50	Service
J. L. Romar	50.00	Service
E. J. Glover	8.50	Rent
H. C. Howard	8.00	
A. B. Deshong	14.00	Fuel
H. C. Howard	4.00	

Rec'd L. S. D. Dec 22. 1866.

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Bureau R. F. Ga. A. L.
Hd Qrs 11th Dist Lex Sub Dist
Mount Sterling Ky Dec 21st 1866

R. E. Johnston
Capt & Chf Supt.
Lexington Ky.

Enclosed please find the
following Receipts for Services ~~for~~ for the month
of November 1866.

John J. Evans	\$50.00.	W. L. Howard	\$97.50.
W. W. Coyle	73.75.	J. L. Bonmar	50.00
R. W. Hitchcraft	73.75.	C. J. Glover	8.50.
Joe Mitchill	15.00.	W. L. Howard	8.00
M. Q. Ashby	8.00	A. B. Deshong	14.00.
J. L. Bonmar	8.00	W. L. Howard	4.00
W. L. Howard	12.00.		

Very Respectfully
Your Obedient Serv^t
W. L. Howard
Supt of Dist L & D

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Nicholsville Ky

Dec 21. 1866.

Maure Inc G.

Agent.

In regard to Loyalty of
Certain parties in Leflore
& Garma Co.^o

Recd L.S.D. Dec 22/66.

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Bureau R.F. & A. Lands
2nd Dist Tex Sub Dist Ky
Nicholasville Ky Dec 21st/866

Capt R.E. Johnson
Chf Supt &c

Sir

I have the honor to trans-
mit to you the information, requested of me in your
letter of Dec 10th, 1866. John Brunner of this
county is represented to me as having been loyal
to the United States Government ever since the commence-
ment of the war. Chas Elmors of Lawrence Co
is also loyal

I am very respectfully

Yours Olt Svt

J. H. Harris

Agent &c

Bureau R. T. A. Lander
2nd Dist - Lexington Ky
Nicholsville Ky Dec 8th 1866

Br - Lt Col Jas H Rice

Br - so Lexington Ky

Sir

In accordance with your request for
information in regard to loyalty of certain parties,

I have the honor to transmit to you the following

As near as I can learn from their neighbors

Larkin Fane has always been loyal

Jas. W. Grant disloyal or so considered.

Daniel M. Anderson } barren Co doubtful

James M. Anderson } " "

one of them Daniel Anderson has been loyal but
is now working with the opposition party.

Mrs. Gallie A. Dunn of barren Co has never
been considered loyal. The other two

Jno Bruner & Jas. Elmore I have not learned
of yet, not having found any one who knows either
of them. It is almost impossible to

obtain satisfactory evidence of a man's loyalty, now
in this country, unless he has taken an ac-

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fire front during the war). Every one claims to be loyal and can establish the fact, if we take their friends testimony. A will vouch for B, having been loyal, and C will contradict it and swear that B never had been loyal.

I have written to different parties in -
Lamar Co, for information in the last instances
and have recieved contradicting and unsatis-
factory replies. one party contradicts what the
other says in each case.

I will endeavor to obtain more definite
and satisfactory information, and will (as soon)
send it to you.

I am very respectfully
your Obedt Servant

J. C. Bain

Agent B. R. F. & L.

Jerome Lamar & Madison Co 13

Ms. 8. 1866

Nicholsville Ky.

December 22. 1866.

White Joseph Rev.
(Colonel)

Asks pecuniary as-
sistance of the Bureau.
He is a cripple & out of
means, & has been
teaching the school at
that place. Endorsed
by A Schofield Miss.
rc rc

To R. B. J.

Recd A. L. O. Ky Dec 23rd 1866

Hoy

December the 22. 1866
Nicholasville General
Cley Honorable Sir, I am
at this time in suffering
circumstances and have
been engaged in teaching
the freedmans school
here five months and
received no pay. winter
has now come and I have
no money nor cloths not
even house room and
I am afflicted and can
not walk one step
and ~~it~~ without some
help my condition is
such that, will be
bound to freeze and
die before spring you
please kind Sir to
give me some help

I taught their free
school five months and
can not get pay till
march 1867. and without
money not able to work
I am still engaged
teaching them yet
taught a school of ~~the~~
169 five months and have
59 attending school at
this time. Sabbath
school I have 98 in
regular attendance. you
will give me ~~my~~
some assistance if you
wish a test of the
statement I give Mr
Scotfield

Respectfully
Joseph White

I believe the above state-
ment of Joseph White is sub-
stantially correct. He is lame
indeed a cripple. He is very
poor and cannot get along
without aid. I am well
acquainted with him

A. Serfield

Missouri

Mr Sterling Ky
Dec 22. 1866.

Howard H. C.
Supr

Send give Fanny
who should be sent to
Louisville Ky

Reco L S H. Dec 22-66

B. R. H + A. L.
Head Qrs 4th Dist L. S. G.
Mt. Sterling Ky Dec 22 1866

R. E. Johnston
Capt & Chf Supt.
Livingston Ky
Capt.

I send you
Colored Girl named Fanny, She is so badly
diseased that it is impossible to get her
place to live at.

She should be sent to the
Hospital at Louisville,

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servt.

A. C. Howard
Supt 4th Dist

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Danville Ky

Dec 24. 1866.

Bonne Port Map NR
Lupton

Enclose Vouchers in
favor of G. Rice for
Rent Dec 1866.

Recd L S L. Dec 25 /66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 24th 1866

Captain R. E. Shurten
Chief Supt. - Lex. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Captain.

I have the honor to forward
herewith vouchers for \$10.00 in favor of G. Rice
for rent of office for December, 1866

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Snt.

M. R. Bourne

Capt. & 1st Maj. 1st Col.

NARA 848
Danville Ky
Dec 24. 1866.

Gowne W R
In Map & Sept

In regard to Loyalty of
Hadden Smith
H O Carr &
Majest Carr of
Knox City.

Recd back L S D Dec 26/66

Langston Ky,
Dec 11th 1866

Langston Capt. R.E.
Chf. Supt. S. S. R. Ky

Makes inquiry as to
the loyalty of Thaddeus
Buckett, W.P. Crew:
and M. Crew living
near Harboursville Ky.

Bureau R. F. & A. Land
Hdqr. 1st Dist. S. S. R. Ky
Kearville Ky. Dec. 24/66

Respectfully returned to
Capt. R.E. Langston Chf.
Supt. S. S. R. Ky,
whose attention is respects
fully invited to the
enclosed letter from
L.G. Eve late Col. of a Regt.
of Loyals. I am infor-
med that Col. Eve can
be relied on as one of
the thoroughly loyal men
of Knox Co.
W.H. Bourne

Capt. J. W. & Maj. N. H. W.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky., Dec 11th 1865

Port Maj H R Bourne
Supt 1st Dist
Major

You are requested to
furnish this office with information
regarding the past & present Loyalty of
the following persons.

Thaddens Parker	near	Barlonsville	Knox	Cnty
Wm P Crow	"	"	"	"
Margaret Crow	"	"	"	"

Very Respectfully
Yr Oth Servant

R E Johnston
Capt 4th - n s Infy
Chf Supt Lex Sub Dy.

Barboursville Ky

Decr 19, 1866

Maj W. R. Boone

Danville, Ky

Yours of the 14th
inst is just at hand asking
information of the past and
present Loyalty of
D. J. J. Burtel, Wm P. Crow & M. Crow

Of M. Crow I know nothing
Wm P. Crow is living in this
county and is a quiet orderly
well behaved citizen. He was
in the Rebel Army voluntarily
and was at Vicksburg - Says
now he was deceived into it
Since he has been here he
has voted the Union ticket
always and claims to be
a Union man and I
believe he is.

David Thaddeus John Buckner
was at the outbreak of the
war a Rebel - made one or
two public speeches -
When Zollicoffer's forces
came in here he went
around with them some
pointing out Union men
to their property - He was
shot by a Union man, the
ball going in at one ear
glancing around the back
of his skull and coming out
at the other ear - It would
have killed any other man
When Zollicoffer retreated
from Wild Cat Buckner went
out of the State with him
got tired and came back
claiming to be a Union man
and has so claimed himself
ever since. It is a man

of interest entirely - would
sell his Savior for less than
thirty pieces of silver. In other
words is devoid of principle
I believe he is a vicious man
because he does it his
interest to be so.

Very Respectfully
Yours Otho Lunt
John G. Eve

WAR 854
Bureau Refugees & A. Lands
Asst Comm Office, State of Ky.

Louisville Dec 24. 1866.

Respectfully referred to Capt
R. E. Johnston Chief Supt &c
Lexington Ky. for his information
and action.

By Order of Brig Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Ky.

Levi J. Burnett,

Lieut V. R. L. A. A. A. Genl,
Enc 1408.66

Recd L S L. Dec 25/66.

NARA 855
Danville Ky
Dec 24. 1866.

Donne Dr Map H R
Inph

Enclose Monthly Reports
for Dec 1866.

Reco L S H. Dec 25/66.

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Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District.)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 24th 1866

Captain R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. & Sub. Dist. Ky.
Captain

I have the honor to forward
herewith returns due from this office for the
month of Dec. 1866.

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt. Servt.

W. R. Bourne

Capt. & Act. Maj. U. S. Vols.

Lanville Ky
Dec 24. 1866.

Bonne Port Map & R
Supte

Encloses Vouchers in
favor of Malcolm Ayres
for Rent 2 Building^s for
School Purposes Dec 1866.

Recd L S D. Dec 25/66

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Dec. 14th 1866

Captain R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. - 1st. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Captain.

I have the honor to forward
herewith vouchers for \$20.00 in favor of Mr.
Ayers for rent of buildings used as schoolhouse
during the month of Dec. 1866

Very Respectfully

Wm. Albright Secy.

W. R. Monroe

Capt. Wm. May. M. S. Bal.

Louisville Ky
Dec 25 1866

B
Ely Gt Brig Genl Ins
Chf Supt

^h
Furnishes official copy
letter from War Dept
B A F & A L Washington
Dec 19. 1866. relative to
the Presidents Not approving
letter dated Oct 13. 1866
in regard to Owen Courts

Recd L S D. Dec 26. /66.

Dec. 27-
Copies furnished

For Maj. H. A. Benne
For Lt. Col. J. H. Rice
For Capt. H. L. Graham
H. E. Howard
C. J. Price

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War Department,
Bureau Refugees Freedmen & Abandoned Lands,
Washington December 19th 1866,

General.

The Circular letter of instructions to the ~~Asst~~ Commissioners of Oct 13-1866, relative to the organization of Bureau Courts in the insurrectionary States, having been submitted for the approval of the President, was returned to this office, not approved till further consideration.

Until further orders therefore, I am directed to say that the ~~Asst~~ Commissioner, in the administration of justice, will be governed by the laws establishing the Bureau, taking such action in accordance therewith, as in his judgment, the necessities of each case may demand.

Very respectfully
Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) A. P. Letchum,
A. A. A. Genl.

~~Br~~ Maj Genl Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm. Louisville Ky.

Official copy respectfully furnished for information and guidance of Capt R. B. Johnston Chief Supt, who will cause copies to be furnished to all Supts under his charge.

Levi J. Burnett,
Chief Clerk A. A. A. Genl.

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Lanville Ky
Dec 26. 1866.

Donne Ort Map NR
Lupsh

Enclosed School Report
for Dec 1866.

Recd L S D. Dec 26/66.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,
HEAD QUARTERS FIRST DISTRICT, (Lexington Sub-District,)

Danville, Ky., Dec, 25th 1866

Captain R. E. Johnston
Chf. Asst. Dir. Sub. Dist. Ky.
Captain,

I have the honor to forward
herewith report of Freedmen's schools for this
District for Dec, 1866.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt.

W. C. Monroe

Capt. U. S. A. Fort Hayes, Ohio.

Ms Sterling Ky
Dec 25. 1866.

Howard H. C.
Lupton

In regard to the girl
Fanny whom he sent
to Lexington

Reco L S A Dec 26/66.

Bureau R & A Lands

Nd Co. 4th Dist L. S. Dist

Mount Sterling Ky Dec 28th 1866

W E Johnston

Capt & chf Supt L. S. Dist

Luxington Ky

Captain

Yours of the 21st inst

in regard to the girl Fanny has been recd., I have the honor to state, she has been under the treatment of Dr Wood for some time as soon as a cure was effected she would indulge in the same abandoned & reckless habits. I obtained as many as (2) two good homes for her & now are disposed to keep her under the circumstances, I have spent in the way of medicines & board for her about (25) twenty five dollars. she has been laying around the streets in stables & out. houses, I do not feel like spending my little pittance of a salary in board &c on such cases, I considered the best thing that could be done for her

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to be placed in the hospital & as soon
as she got well to be apprenticed or hired
out in the country cut off entirely from the
associations she has here, it is utterly impos-
sible to reclaim her in any other way. I have
resorted to every kind of expedient
from the within statement I regarded her a
fit subject for the Hospital.

I have the honor to
be your obedt servt
A. B. Stoddard

Jeffersonville Ind
Dec 26. 1866

Gatchelder R N
Br Col or Dep or Q M

States that Commutation
Apc of Capt R E Johnston
for Dec 1866 has been
referred to Br Maj S R
Hamill a g m. Disb office

Recd L S A. Dec 28/66

Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., December 26th 1864

Capt. R. C. Johnston
Lexington Ky
Captain

Your Communication
account for the month of December 1864
has this day been referred to A. May: S. R.
Hamill S. G. M. disbursing Officer Depo
Dept of the Trans. Louisville Ky.

Very respectfully

Your obedient
A. H. Batchelder
Deputy Secy.

Purcan R. H. & ad
H² Geo 3² Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky
Lexington Ky
Dec^r 26th 1866

Graham Ind

Moynihan & Supt

Transmits monthly Returns
pertaining to Purcan
R. H. & ad for month
of December 1866

Rec^d L S D. Dec 27. 1866.

NARA 870
Bureau R. F. Va
H. Q. G. 3^d Dist Lexington Sub Dist Ky.
Lexington Ky, Dec. 26th 1866

Capt R. E. Johnston
43^d Regt. Inf. (Vt.)

Capt
I have the honor to transmit Monthly
Returns & vouchers pertaining to Bureau R.
F. Va for month of December 1866

I am Capt
Very respectfully,
Your Obedt Servt.
J. W. Graham
Pl Capt War & Sup

NARA 871

Washington DC

Dec 26. 1866.

~~Thurs 60-1867~~

Whittelsey Henry M
Bvt Brig Gen + Chf Q M

Encloses Copy of
Govenor's Manual
to

Recd L S H Jan 1/67

[Form 9.]

War Department,
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,

Washington, *Dec 26th*, 186*5*.

Colonel

I have the honor to transmit herewith *all* copies
each of General Orders, *Nos.*

Bureau Officers Manual

Also, *1* copies each of Circulars, Chief Q. M. O.,
Bureau R. F. and A. L., Nos. *A. F. No 6*
the receipt of which you will promptly acknowledge, by signing and
returning the accompanying letter.

*You will be held responsible for the distribution of Orders to officers
serving under your direction.*

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

By order of Maj. Genl. O. O. Howard, Commr.

Henry M. Mitchell
Brig. Genl., and Chief Q. M.,
Bureau R. F. & A. L.

D. Dist Col. R. E. Johnston

Supt

Lexington Ky

Louisville

Dec 26. 1866

Hamill S. R

Per Maj + Q M

Encloses check No 9,
on U S Deputy Comdr Ohio
payable to Capt A E Johnston
for \$ 37²⁵ mileage from
Lex Ky to Chicago Ills

Recd L S A. Dec 27-66

Head-Quarters Department of the Tennessee,

GENERAL DISBURSING OFFICE.

Louisville, Ky.,

Dec 2nd 1862

786 (C)

Capt R E Johnston
43rd U.S.I.

Brig Colonel USA
Lexington Ky

Colonel

Enclosed please
find my check No 91 - of this date
on the Depository of the U States
Cincinnati Ohio - to yr order for
Thirty Seven and ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars (\$37⁰⁰/₁₀₀)
in payment of yr mileage Exp from
Lexington Ky to Chicago Ills 390 miles
@ 10¢

Less Out Receipt

\$37⁰⁰/₁₀₀

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The claim has not been paid at an earlier
date for want of funds. Please acknowledge
the enclosure

Very Respectfully
Yr att Servt
R H. H. H.
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NARA 873
Bureau R. F. Ed. A. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist L. I. D.
Mayonville, Ky. Dec. 26 1866

True C. D. Supt

Encloses Reports, Returns,
Vouchers &c, for the month
of December 1866

Rec'd 5 D. Dec 27 1866

Juan Refuges, J. Ed A. Lands.
Supts. Office 3^d Dist. L. I. D. Ky.
Maysville, Ky. Dec. 26th 1846

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. L. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Captain.

I have the honor to enclose herewith the following Reports, Returns, Vouchers &c for the month of December 1866.

Report of Bureau R. F. and A. L.

Return " Receipts and Expenditures

Q. M. Stores

Report "Persons & Articles Seized"

" " Schools

Vouchers in favor of C J True Supb for Salary #97⁰⁰

" " " " " " Pastize 9⁰⁰

" " " " D. True for Salary \$73.25

" " " " A. S. Bloom Agt 73rd

4 1 " A D Jones " 40 09

W. J. Henry 40 00

" " " J M Rogers " 140 22

Vouchers in favor of Louis Stine for Rent \$15⁰⁰
" " " " W. H. Robbins. " 9⁰⁰
" " " " A. B. Clark. Coal 5²⁵

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt Servt

J. Stine
Supt

Louisville Ky
Dec 27. 1866.

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Purnell Genl F
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Enclosure S. O No 110
from Asst Com office
directing Capt A E Johnston
to make an inspection
Gen of 5th dist

Recd L S A. Dec 28/66.

BUREAU REFUGEES, FREEDMEN & ABANDONED LANDS,

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONERS OFFICE, STATE OF KENTUCKY.

Louisville, Ky., Dec 27th 1866.

Capt R. C. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lexington Ky.
Captain.

I am directed by Brig Maj Gen Jeff B. Davis
Asst Comm State of Kentucky, to enclose herewith copy
of Par. I Special Orders No 110 from this Office, dated Dec
27-1866, directing you to make a thorough inspection
of the affairs of this Bureau in the 5th Dist.

On completion of the inspection referred to, you will
forward to this Office a report of the same.

You are hereby authorized to remain five days at
Cincinnati Ohio as requested in your letter of 25th inst.

I am, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant,

Levi F. Burnett,

Lieut & R. L. A. A. A. Genl.

B. R. F. And A. L.
Std Cr 4th Dec 28
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 28th 1866
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Howard. H. L.
Sept 40.

Transmits Monthly Returns
into Vouchers for the month
of December 1866, viz

Report of Persons and Articles
Monthly Returns

Monthly Report B. R. F. & A. L.

Monthly Return Receipt & Expou

Voucher H. L. Howard \$97.50

" J. J. Evans 50.00

" J. L. Bonar 50.00

" R. H. Hatchcraft 36.87

" H. W. Lohlehaus 73.75

" W. G. Coyle 73.75

" H. M. Beckner 8.00.

" C. J. Glover 8.50

" Jerry McIndier 5.00.

" M. B. Ashby 8.00.

" Francis A. Boyd 15.00.

" William McCorran 7.50

" R. S. Thompson 7.50

" A. B. Dishong 14.00

" Hatchcraft & Osborn 7.50

Recd L. S. L. Dec 30

Bureau R. F. Ind. A. Lands
Ad. Co. 4th Dist L. S. & Hy
Mt Sterling Ky Dec 28th 1866

Capt. R. E. Johnston.
Chap. Supt
Lexington Ky
To Capt.

I have the honor
to transmit herewith my Monthly Returns for
the Month of December 1866 with accompanying
Vouchers viz.

P Form No. 2.	Report of Purchased Articles
" No 23	Monthly Returns
" —	Monthly Report R R F & A
" —	Monthly Return Receipts & Expenditures
" —	Monthly Report Schools.
No 1 Voucher No. 22.	H & H. Steward. \$97.50.
" 2 " " "	John P Evans 50.00.
" 3 " " "	J. L. Bonnar 50.00.
" 4 " " "	H. H. Holschlag Sr 73.75.
" 5 " " "	R. H. Hutchcraft 36.87
over.	

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No 6.	Trainer	Dr. St. Louis	\$73.75.
" 7	"	St. M. Beckner	8.00
" 8	"	C. J. Glover	8.50.
" 9	"	Jerry McClellan	5.00
" 10	"	Mr. C. Ashby	8.00
" 21	"	Francis A. Boyd	15.00
" 12	"	William McGowan	7.50.
" 13	"	R. L. Thompson	7.50.
" 14	"	A. B. Ashmore	14.00
" 15	"	Kutcherapka Wilson	7.50.

I am Capt.

Very Respectfully

Your Obedient Servant

W. H. H. H.

Sept 14 1864

MA 283
Bureau R. F. and A. L.
S. C. Claim Division
Washington D. C. Dec. 29th 66

Thomas Sam A. A. A. G.

Information in reference
to Bounties for 100th Regt
C. I. Vol 13th A. G.

Rec'd B. L. Jan. 4th 67

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War Department,

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and Abandoned Lands,

CLAIM DIVISION,

Washington, Dec 29th, 1868

C. J. Stone, Esq.
 Sup. Bm. R. F. & L.
 Maysville, Ky.
 Sir

In reply to your communication of the 20th inst. I have respectfully to state that the men of the 100th Regt. Col. Col. are - provided they were volunteers, and there is no evidence on the muster rolls or of record showing them to have been slaves - entitled to \$100. bounty - the "Old Hundred" or "Columbia" - They are not entitled to additional bounty, not having served the requisite length of time (3 years or 3 years.)

Those of the 13th Regt. Col. Col. having been paid \$100. (1st installment) have received the entire amount to which they were entitled.

See marked paragraphs enclosed printed instructions.

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L.S.

Very Respectfully
 Yours Truly
 James Thomas
 A. A. A. King

NARA 886
Bureau R F & A Land,
2nd Dist Lex Sub Dist 15
Richmond Dec 30/86

Bvt Lt Col Jas Rice
Supt &c

Sir, in obedience to your
orders I went to Richmond to investigate the
reported case of killing of Daniel Bates (Colored) by
Chas Walker about the 20th of Nov, 1866.

Upon making an investigation of the matter I find
there has been no colored man killed there during
the past year by Walker or any one else. If such
a thing has been reported to you it has either been
false or originated through a mistake. I find that
about the time mentioned, Chas Walker & another
young man (they are both boys) did in a
drunken frolic shoot to scare a negro man, whom
they met on the road, but did not injure, nor
did they shoot him; I suppose that is what
the report grew out of. If there has been

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been a man, was killed in Madison Co. Since^{first} last November, the citizens know nothing about it.

I got all the evidence in the case of Baker shooting to some the colored man, but as it was proven to my satisfaction that he did not shoot with the intention of killing the man I do not think it necessary to report it. I ~~learned~~ of a I was informed.

of the killing of a colored man, in cold blood, by one Mobberly, who has since left the country. It happened some time last winter. But as the murderer has left for parts unknown I did not deem it necessary to make a thorough investigation of the matter.

I am ^{col} very respectfully yours
old servant

J. L. Train, agent

Jeffersonville Ind

Dec 31. 1866.

Gatcheller R N

D W Coe & Q M

Enclosed check no 29

for \$72 ⁸³ on Acct Treasurer

New York payable to R E

Johnston for Com labor & fuel

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Recd L S R. Aug 1. 1867

Depot Quartermaster's Office,

Jeffersonville, Ind., Dec 31st 1866

Cool R. E. Johnson
Lexington Ky
Colonel.

Enclosed I send your
check No 29. for \$72.83. on Asst Treasr
New York City. being amt of your Govt.
gr & fuel for Nov. 1866.

Payment for com. gr & fuel will hereafter
be paid by Maj. S. L. Hummel. a quar
Louisville Ky.

Very Respectfully
Yours Obt Servt
R. H. Batchelder
Govt. Sol & Dep't of War

B R Moss

Adm 2^d Dist Legat Dist
Lexington Ky Dec 31/66

Rice James H Bt L Heul

Transmits Monthly
Report of Schools for the
month of December 1866.

Recd L S A. Dec 31/66

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sub-District,

Lexington, Ky. December 31. 1866

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt Sec Sub Dist
Lexington Ky

Captain

I have the honor to
transmit herewith my Report of School for
the 2^d Dist Sec Sub Dist Ky for the month
of December 1866.

I am Captain

Very Respectfully

Your Obedt Servt

James H. Kim
Asst Supt of School
Supt 2^d Dist Sec Sub Dist

B. R. F. & A. L.

Ad. L. 2^d. Dist. Sec. Sub. Dist.
Lexington Ky Dec 31. 1866

Rice James N. B. & S. H. L.

Transmits monthly
return of receipts & expenditures
also report of B. R. F. & A. L. for
December 1866.

Recd L. S. L. Dec 31 1866.

Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

Head-Quarters Second District Lexington Sul-District,

Lexington, Ky., December 31 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chf Supt Sex Int Dist
Lexington Ky

Captain

I have the honor
to transmit herewith my monthly return
of receipts and expenditures also monthly report
of Br R & d L for the month of December 1866.

I am Captain, very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servant

James H. Rice

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Bureau L. F. & A. Lands
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. L. L.
Maysville, Ky. Dec. 31st 1866

True C. I. Supt.

Forwards "Estimate" for
Stationery for the month
of January 1867

"Duplicate"

Recd L. S. L. Jan 2. 1867

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands
Supts. Office 5th Dist L. S. & D. Ky.
Maymills, Ky. Dec. 31st 1866

Capt R. E. Johnston/
Chief Supt. L. S. & D.
Lexington, Ky.

Captain.

I have the honor to forward the following
Estimate for Stationery for the month of January
1867.

24 Quiv. Letter Paper	500	Official Envelopes.
24 " Cap " "	500	Letter " "
200 Steel Pens	25	Pen Holders
25 Lead Pencils	10	Oz. Sealing Wax

Very Respectfully,

Yours Obedt. Servt.

J. True
Supt.

"Duplicate"

NARA 896
Bureau R. F. & A. Lands.
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. S. D. Ky.
Maysville. Ky. Dec 31 1866

True C. D. Supt

Submits 'Estimate' for Coal
for the month of January
1867

'Duplicate'

Recd L S D. Jan 2. 1867.

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Bureau R. F. and A. Lard.

Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. I. D.

Maysville, Ky Dec. 31st 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston.

Chief Supt. Lev I. D.

Lexington Ky

Captain.

I have the honor to submit the following
Estimate for Coal for the month of January 1867

30 Bushels Coal @ 16¢ per Bushel

It will take fully 30 bushels of Coal to
supply my office fire and the fire in the room
occupied by the detachment of troops on duty here.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obedt. Servt

J. True
Supt

Enclosure

MANA 898
Bureau Re. F. & A. Lands.
Supts. Office S. A. L. S. A. Ky.
Maysville, Ky Dec. 31 1866

Tru C. D. Supt

Submits Estimate for Coal
for the month of January 1867.

"Duplicate"

Bureau R. F. & A. Lands.
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. I. D.
Maysville. Ky. Decr 31st 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston.
Chief Supt, Lex. I. D.
Lexington Ky.

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Very Respectfully.

Your Obt. Servt.

C. J. True
Supt

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Bureau No. F. & A. Lands.
Supts. Office & Dist. L. S. D.
Mayonville, Ky. Dec. 31st 1866

True C. D. Supt

Has this day forwarded
to Dist. Com. Genl. Inv. Chf. Chf.
Supts. \$60⁰⁰ on acct of the
Refugee & Freedmen's Fund
for December 1866.

Reco L. S. D. Day 2. 1866

NARA 981
Bureau Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands,

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, 5th DIST. L. S. D.

Maysville, Ky. December 31st 1861.

Capt R E Johnston
Chief Supt L S D Ky
Lexington Ky

Captain, I have the honor to report that
I have this day forwarded to Bureau Chief
Genl Jno Ely Chief Supt State of Ky at
Louisville Ky. (Per Adams Express) Fifty & 50/100
Dollars on account of Refugees & Freedmen
fund for December 1861.

Very Respectfully
Your Obedt Servant
J. J. Jones
Superintendent

NARA 982
Bureau R. F. and A. Lands
Supts. Office S. D. L. I. D.
Mayville, Ky. Dec. 31st 1866

True C. D. Supt.

Forwards "Estimate" for
Stationery, for the month
of January 1867

"Duplicate"

Recd L. S. D. Jan 2. 1867

MA 993
Bureau R. F. and A. L.
Supts. Office 5th Dist. L. S. D. Ky.
Mayeville, Ky Dec. 31 1866.

Capt R. E. Johnston
Chief Supt. Lex. S. D.
Lexington Ky.

Captain,

I have the honor to forward the following Estimate for Stationery for the month of January 1867.

24 Quire Letter Paper 500 Official Envelopes
24 " Cap " 500 Letter "
200 Steel Pens. 25 Pen Naldens.
25 Lead Pencils. 10 Oze Sealing Wax.

Very Respectfully,

Your Obt Servt

J. True
Supt

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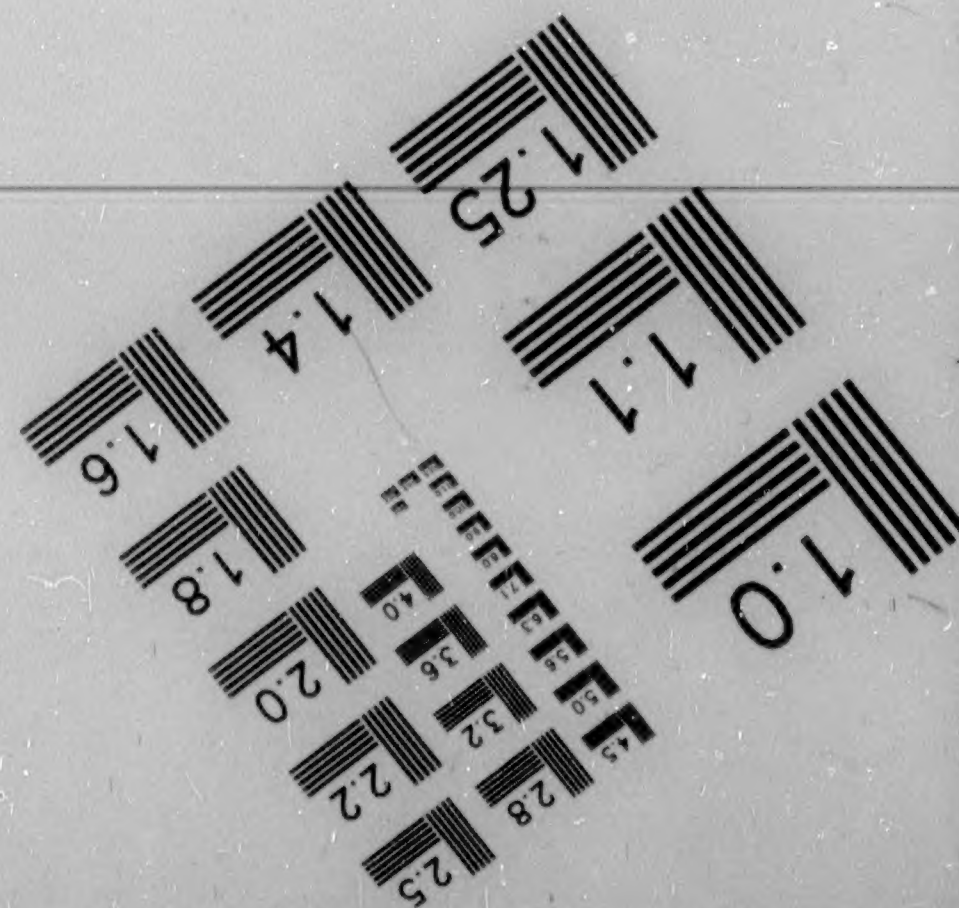
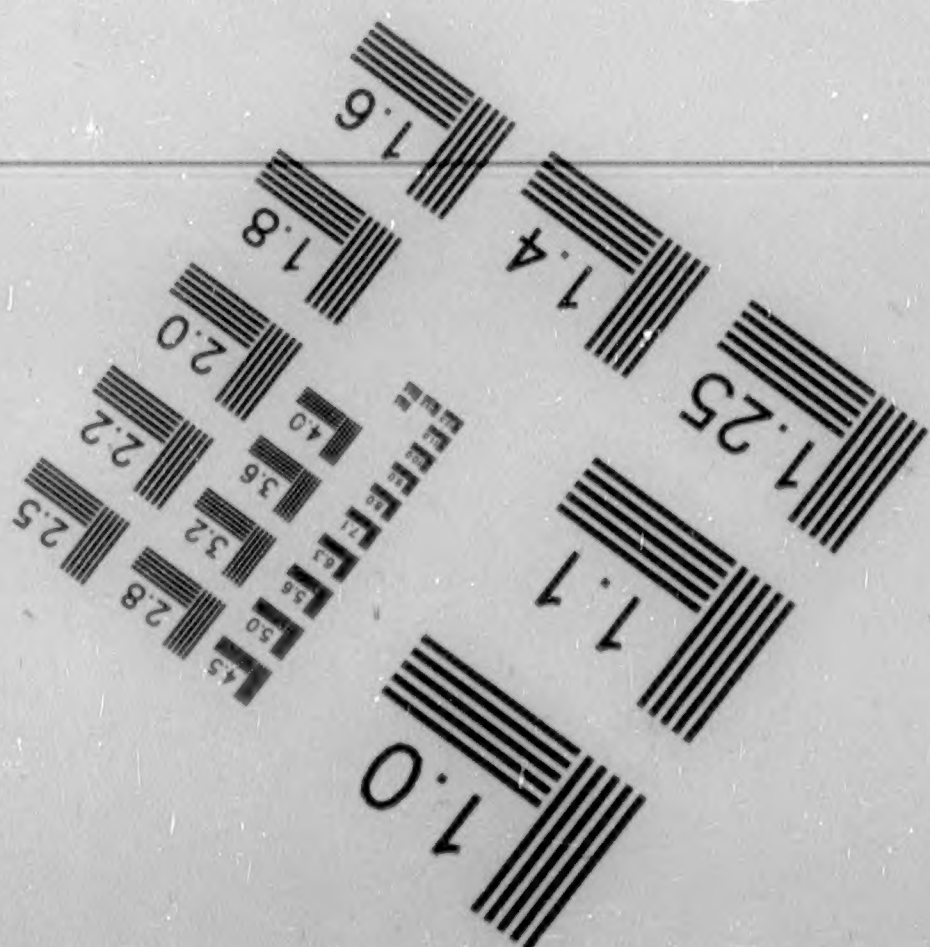
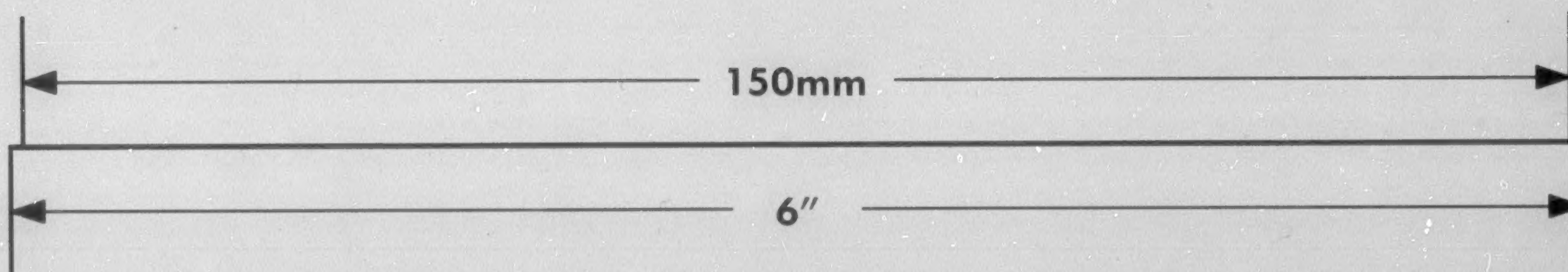
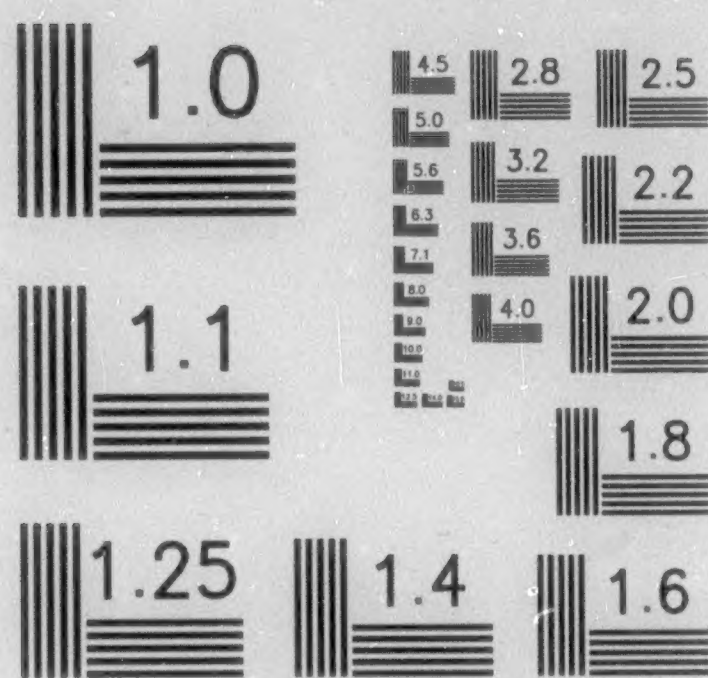
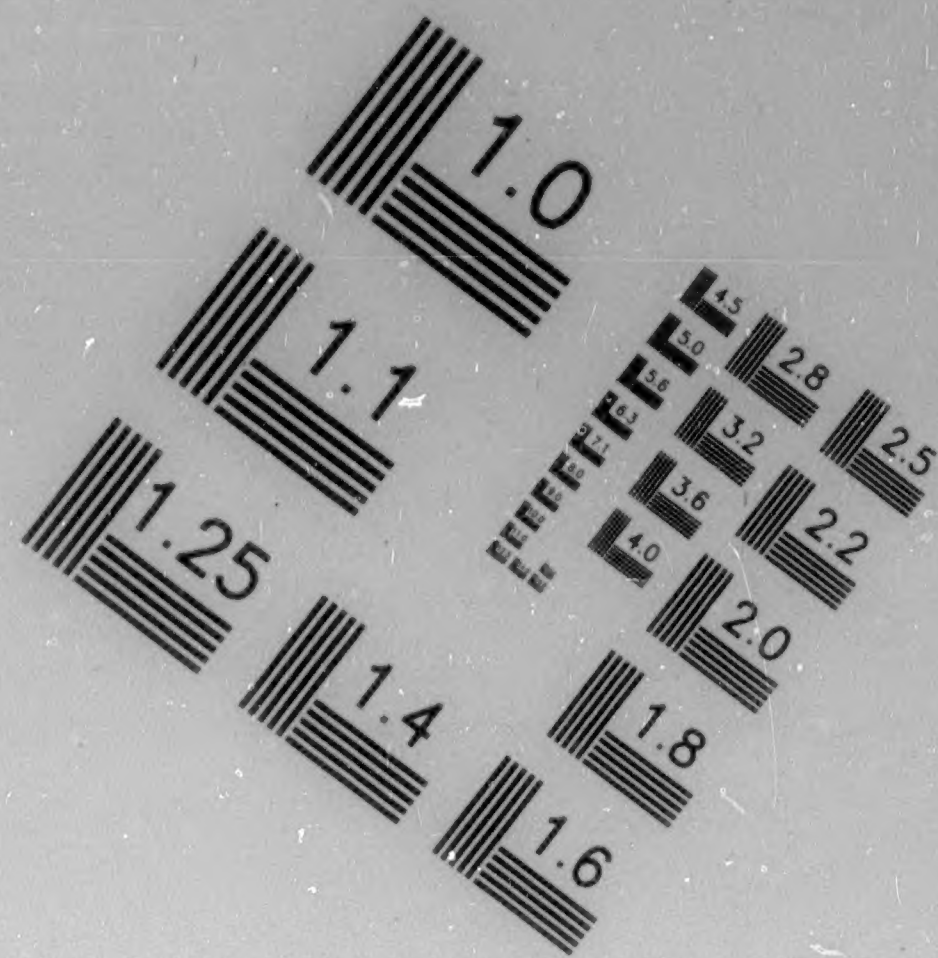
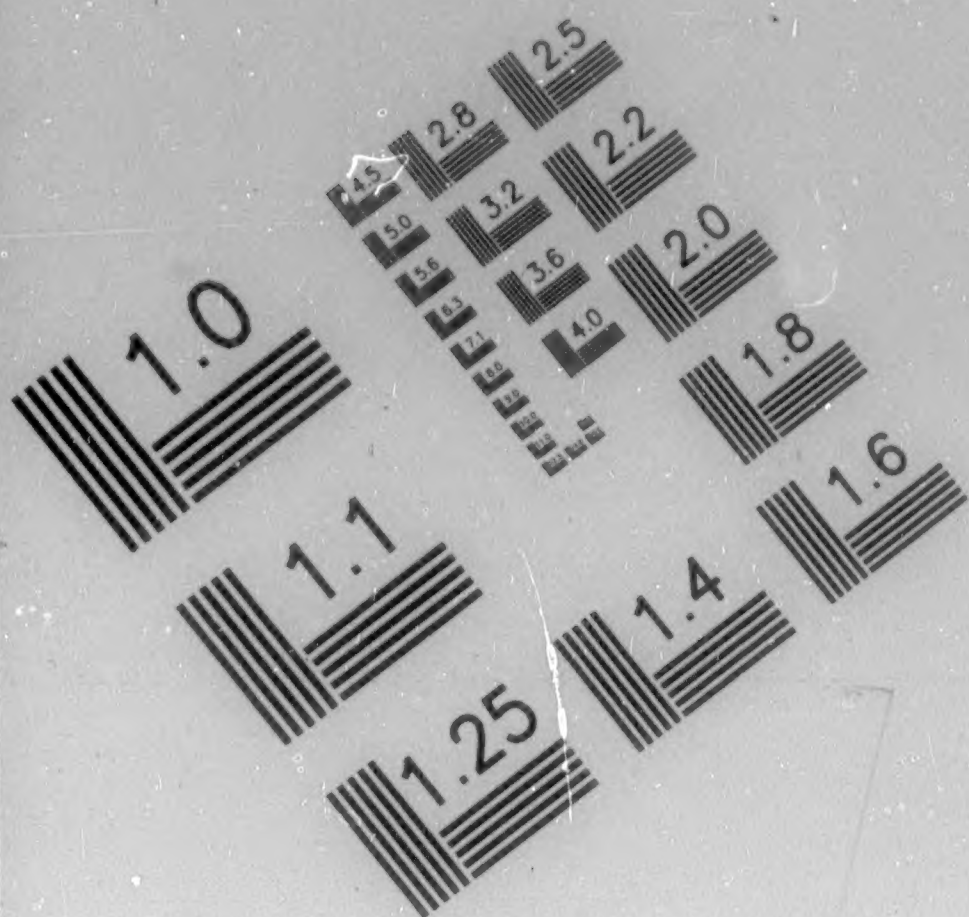
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